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Reciprocity Proclamation Issued by the President.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The following proclamation by the President on the German reciprocity agreement has been made public:

By the President of the United States of America—A Proclamation.

Whereas, the German government has entered into a commercial agreement with the United States in conformity with the provisions of the third section of the tariff act of the United States approved July 24, 1897, by which agreement, in the judgment of the President, reciprocal and equivalent concessions are secured in favor of the products of the United States.

Therefore, be it known that I, William McKinley, President of the United States of America, acting under the authority conferred by said act of Congress, do hereby suspend during the continuance in force of said agreement the imposition and collection of the duties imposed by the first section of said act upon the articles hereinafter specified, being the products of the soil and industry of Germany, and so do declare in lieu thereof the rates of duty provided in said third section of said act to be in force and effect from and after the date of this proclamation as follows, namely:

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Done at the city of Washington, this twelfth day of July, A. D., one thousand nine hundred, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twenty-fifth.

WILLIAM McKINLEY.

By the President:

JOHN HAY,

Secretary of State.

GOOD SHOTS WANTED.

General Wheeler's Troops to Have Plenty of Target Practice.

CHICAGO, July 14.—In a general order issued from the headquarters of the Department of the Lakes, Brigadier General Wheeler says: "In view of the fact that two battalions of the Second and Fifth infantry regiments are to be withdrawn from the United States for active field service as soon as practicable, the commanding officers at posts of this department where parts of these organizations are stationed will use every effort to see that all enlisted men are given thorough instruction in pointing and aiming drills, in the mechanism and management of their rifles, and as much target practice as it is practicable to let them have. All officers of experience know how absolutely essential it is that an soldier in active service should be a good shot and thoroughly understand his rifle.

"With this end in view, commanding officers at stations garrisoned by the Second and Fifth infantry will at once begin the above course of instruction for all soldiers and recruits, and continue them daily, Sundays excepted, for as many hours each day as is practicable until all men are properly instructed.

"As soon as the battalions of the Second and Fifth infantry arrive from Cuba their instruction will be commenced and prosecuted vigorously upon the same lines, until all the men destined for foreign service reach as high a degree of proficiency in handling their arms as possible."

THREE BANKS IN ONE.

Old and Large Chicago Institutions Consolidated.

CHICAGO, July 14. Three of Chicago's oldest and largest banking institutions are to be consolidated. The Corn Exchange National, the American National and the Northwestern National are to pool issues and re-organize under the charter of the Corn Exchange, retaining its title. This amalgamation of millions was practically completed when the presidents of the three institutions notified each other that their several directories had voted in favor of the new arrangement. The new Corn Exchange National Bank will have a capital stock of $2,000,000, a surplus of $1,000,000 and undivided profits of $560,000.

SAFE WAS STRONG.

Would-be Robber of a New Brunswick Bank Foiled.

HOULTON, Me., July 14.—The county officials received notification today of an attempt to blow open the vault of the People's bank at Hartland, N. B. Two men entered the bank yesterday morning, and after charging the safe with nitro glycerine touched off the explosive. The robbers, however, were unable to damage the safe, and fled at the approach of citizens who were awakened by the concussion. It is supposed they crossed the Maine state line.

Congressman Champ Clark of Missouri to Try for the Senate.

WHITE CLOUD, Kan., July 14.—Congressman Champ Clark of Missouri is authority for the announcement that he will be a candidate for the Senate to succeed Mr. Vest.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Hamburg, July 13, Kaiser Friedrich, from New York.

New York, July 14, St. Paul, from Southampton.

Queenstown, July 14, Etruria, from New York.

Glasgow, July 14, Hibernian, from Boston.

Glasgow, July 14, Siberian, from Philadelphia.

Liverpool, July 14, Cufic, from New York.

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THROWN TO THE DOGS.

Russian Envoy Killed and His Body Boiled.

His Wife and the Legation Officials Tortured to Death.

NEW YORK, July 14.—A St. Petersburg despatch published here says: The czar has received with great emotion the dreadful particulars of the tragic catastrophe at Pekin. Tears coursed down His Majesty's cheeks as he read the cablegram from Admiral Alexieff, at Port Arthur, confirming the horrible details of the assassination of M. de Giers, which, merely in the form of rumor, had reached Russia. The admiral declares that the Russian envoy was dragged through the streets by the Boxers, insulted, beaten and tortured, and then thrown into a great kettle and boiled to death, and then the remains were thrown to the dogs. While M. de Giers was being disposed of the fanatic mob danced around the caldron.

Mme. de Giers, Admiral Alexieff's advices declare, suffered a fate worse than death, and was beaten and tortured with sharp sticks until life was extinct. The legation officials are said to have been tortured fiendishly until death ended their sufferings.

M. de Giers and his legation officials resisted desperately, and his brave body guard killed many of the attacking mob. In the midst of his tortures the envoy is said to have heroically proclaimed his faith in Christianity, encouraged by his wife, who so soon shared in his martyrdom.

The announcement of this intelligence to the relatives of the Russian martyrs in China was accompanied by heart-rending scenes. Count Lamsdorff received the friends of the murdered ones at the foreign office and unfolded to them the tragic story. The scenes of frenzied terror and grief that followed were unspeakable. The building of the foreign office was besieged by an excited throng, and all St. Petersburg is full of lamentation.

Immediately upon the receipt of Admiral Alexieff's report the czar ordered the cabinet and council of state to go into session at once.

EMBASSY WITHOUT ADVICES.

Russians No Better Able to Get News Than Other Powers.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The Russian embassy here has received no information of the killing of the Russian minister at Pekin. The officials do not discredit the story, but say that the Russians are under the same disadvantage as the other powers in getting telegraphic information from Pekin. They think that if this proves true it will entirely and very seriously alter the whole situation.

FAVORABLE TO THE BOXERS.

Proclamation Issued by the Governor of Honan Fshanfi.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Secretary Hay has received an undated despatch from Consul General Goodnow, at Shanghai, stating that the governor of Honan Fshanfi has issued a proclamation favorable in its terms to the Boxers. Honan Fshanfi is the province lying immediately northwest of Shanghai and between that city and Pekin.

URGENTLY SUMMONED TO PEKIN.

Absence of Li Hung Chang Certain to Cause Trouble at Canton.

HONG KONG, July 14.—Li Hung Chang yesterday received an urgent telegraphic summons to Pekin. It is reported that he will proceed north tomorrow. The Chinese fear that his absence is certain to lead to trouble at Canton.

TO FORTIFY TIEN TSIN.

Special Effort for the Present of the Allied Forces.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 14.—A despatch from Khabarovsk, dated July 12, says an international council of war, held at Tien Tsin, has decided, for the present, to confine the efforts of the allied forces to fortifying Tien Tsin and establishing safe communication with the Taku forts and arsenals. Tien Tsin, it is said, is being armed with guns of the highest class.

LITTLE DOUBT LEFT.

British Consul-General Fears for the Fate of Foreigners.

LONDON, July 14.—The British consul-general at Shanghai, in transmitting to the foreign office messages from the governor of Shan Tung, already published, says he fears there can be little doubt in regard to the fate of the foreigners at Pekin.

BREAKING THE NEWS CAUTIOUSLY

Chinese Edicts Part of a Plan to Delude Foreign Nations.

LONDON, July 14.—Though hope still struggles against the conclusion that the silence at Pekin is the silence of the grave, he official admissions in both the United States and Europe that the diplomatists have adopted the pessimistic views held by the consuls at Shanghai have almost silenced those attempting to reason against the circumstantial evidence which is becoming so cogent. The Chinese assurances and edicts appear to observers here to be merely part of a plan to cautiously break the news of the tragedy and delude the foreigners with a tale of imperial guiltlessness. But if the bombardment mentioned in United States Consul Goodnow's last message occurred it must have been carried out by Chinese regulars, so the plea of imperial defense of the legations seems to fall to the ground.

The situation at Tien Tsin appears to be slowly but surely growing worse. The allied forces are experiencing the greatest difficulty in sending forward reinforcements, as the Chinese have rendered the navigation of the river most difficult by diverting its waters. Happily St. Petersburg today announces officially that the telegraph between Taku and Tien Tsin has already been restored, and that railroad communication will shortly be re-established.

To the other trials of the besieged persons at Tien Tsin has been added an outbreak of scarlet fever. Despatches from Tien Tsin report that a number of ladies there have become white-haired through the horrors of the siege.

ASKS AGAIN.

Minister Wu Requests Information Concerning Conger.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The Chinese minister has sent a cable despatch to the Kouti of Shantung, telling him that the American government is exceedingly anxious as to the fate of Minister Conger, and requesting him to cable any information he may have on that point. This is in addition to the cablegram he forwarded Wednesday at the request of Secretary Hay.

BURNED THE TSUNG LI YAMEN.

German Marines Assaulted the Building After the Minister's Murder.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The Japanese legation here has received a despatch from the minister of foreign affairs, stating that after the German minister was shot at Pekin the German marines made an assault upon the Tsung Li Yamen and burned down the building.

General Miles in Conference with Minister Wu.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Lieutenant General Miles was an early caller at the Chinese legation today, and had a long conference with Minister Wu, presumably concerning the military situation in China.

LATEST NAVAL NEWS.

Orders to Officers Issued and Movements of Vessels Reported.

(Special despatch to the News.)

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The following orders were issued by the Navy Department today:

Medical Director P. Fitzsimmons, detached from duty with the naval examining board at Annapolis and ordered to duty in charge of the naval hospital at Newport, July 21.

Surgeon L. G. Heneberger, detached from the naval hospital at Newport, July 21, and ordered to duty with the board of medical examiners at the Naval Observatory at Brooklyn, July 25.

Medical Director H. J. Babin, detached from duty as president of the board of medical examiners at the Naval Observatory at Brooklyn, July 25, and placed on waiting orders.

Lieutenant Commander J. C. Gilmore, ordered to duty as executive officer of the Franklin.

Lieutenant Commander F. S. Carter, detached from the Franklin and ordered to Norfolk.

The following movements of vessels were reported to the Navy Department today: Chesapeake, arrived at New Bedford; Michigan and Yantic, arrived at Detroit; Ranger, arrived at Mare Island navy yard for repairs.

CERTIFIED TO APPELLATE DIVISION.

Plaintiff's Demurrers in Lippitt Suit Adjudged Sufficient.

(Special despatch to the News.)

PROVIDENCE, July 14.—The case of Walter F. Cole, administrator, against Charles Warren Lippitt and others, growing out of the fatal accident at the new Lippitt house at Newport last fall, was before Judge Blodgett in the common pleas division of the appellate court this morning, on the plaintiff's demurrers to the defendants' special plea. The demurrers were adjudged sufficient and were certified to the appellate division.

ASTOR'S EXCLUSIVENESS.

His Desires Likely to be Gratified in the Future.

LONDON, July 14.—The Saturday Review, of which Lord Hardwick is editor, and with which several other prominent people are connected, scathingly denounces Mr. Astor's treatment of Captain Milne, and refers to it as "a gross violation of etiquette," adding:

"Milne is a naval officer of high rank and distinguished service, the jacket of whose slave Astor, with all his millions, is not worthy to untie. We regret only that the gallant servant of Her Majesty so far forgot his dignity as to accept a second-hand invitation to the house of the parse-proud American, whose dollars could not save him from the contempt of his countrymen. Mr. Astor wishes his entertainments to be exclusive. His desire is likely to be gratified in the future beyond his expectations."

Indianapolis to be the Middle-of-the-Road Headquarters.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 14.—Verbal assurances have been received by members of the state Populist committee that Indianapolis will be made the headquarters of the Middle-of-the-Road Populist national committee.

AMERICANS AHEAD.

Win Only Two Events Decided Today.

Take Leading Places in Other Contests at Paris.

PARIS, July 14.—The American athletes, fresh from their victories in London, won the only two events decided today and secured leading places in all the trials which occurred on the opening day of the world's amateur championships, held under the auspices of the exposition. The contests were inaugurated, with magnificent weather, at the Paris racing club, in Pre Catalan, a charmingly situated glade in the Bois de Boulogne. Its pretty surroundings, however, were hardly adequate compensation for the poor accommodation provided for the visitors, which will be seriously felt on the days of big crowds. But no inconvenience was experienced today, the meagre attendance being perfectly astounding the American and English visitors, accustomed to see tens of thousands at athletic contests of such international importance as that of today. Not more than 1,000 spectators were present, and the majority of these came from America; in fact, the meeting resembled American college sports more than international championships held abroad.

The Americans started by winning the first heat in the 110-metre hurdles and pairs in the other two heats, which they converted into a complete victory in the final heat, winning first, second and third places.

This they followed up by winning first and second places in the 100-metre flat race and they would have had first, second and third but for an accident to Duffy, who won his heat quite handily as well as the semi-final, only to have a tendon of his left leg give way while leading in the final half of the distance from the tape.

The Americans then won two heats out of three in the 200-metres flat race, all of three heats in the 400-metres flat race and both heats in the 100-metres hurdle race.

They also have three out of the five men who have qualified for the final in the broad jump, and three in the shot-putting contest, while Sheldon will represent the United States in the remaining event, the disc throwing, which, judging from today's performances, is likely to be the only event which the Americans will fail to carry off, out of the eight events in which they started today.

HOW IT WAS DONE.

Results of the Several Trial and Final Heats.

PARIS, July 14.—The Americans swept the board in the first event for the world's championships, the 110 metres hurdle race, A. C. Kraenzlein of the University of Pennsylvania winning; McClain of the University of Michigan getting second, and F. H. Mahoney of Chicago University finishing third. Kraenzlein won rather easily in 15 2-5 seconds.

Richard Sheldon of the New York Athletic Club secured a place for the finals in the discus throwing event, which will be decided tomorrow.

Arthur F. Duffy, Georgetown University; Walter B. Tewksbury, University of Pennsylvania; F. Jarvis, Princeton, and Stanley Rowley, champion of New South Wales, won in the semi-final heats of the 100 metres, Tewksbury and Jarvis, who were closely pressed, beat the French record in their heats, with 10 4-5 seconds.

Richard Sheldon, New York Athletic Club; J. O. McCracken, University of Pennsylvania, and Garrett, Princeton, qualified for the finals in the shot putting contest, and were well ahead of the other competitors.

In the final heat of the 100 metres Horace F. Jarvis, Princeton, finished first, Walter B. Tewksbury, University of Pennsylvania, was second, and Stanley Rowley, champion of New South Wales, was third. Arthur F. Duffy, Georgetown University, while leading in this race fell after covering 50 metres. Time 11 seconds.

In the four hundred metres flat race the first heat was won by M. W. Long, New York Athletic Club, Leeds being second. In the second heat Mahoney, Chicago University, finished first, and Stilz, a Dane, second. In the third heat Dixon Boardman, New York Athletic Club, took first place, and William A. Holland, Georgetown University, was second. All the foregoing will compete in the final heat.

In the 400 metres hurdle race, the first heat was won by Walter B. Tewksbury, University of Pennsylvania; Leaves was second. In the second heat George W. Horten, University of Pennsylvania, was first, and Tauzina, Frenchman, second.

In the 800 metres flat race, trial heats, the first heat was won by David C. Hall, Brown University; English, an American, was second, and Howard W. Hayes, University of Michigan, third. In the second heat De Loge, a Frenchman, was first; Speide, a Hungarian, second, and Scofford, an American, third. In the third heat Captain Cregan, of Princeton, won; Williams, an American, was second, and Harvey H. Lord, Chicago University, third. The first and second in these heats will compete in the finals.

In the long jump trial heats, Prinstein, Syracuse University, was first, with 7 metres 175 centimetres; A. C. Kraenzlein, University of Pennsylvania, second, with 6 metres 83 centimetres; Delaney, a Frenchman, third, with 6 metres 75½ centimetres; William P. Remington, University of Pennsylvania, fourth, with 6 metres 72½ centimetres; J. P. Leahy, the English and Irish champion high jumper, fifth, with 6 metres 71 centimetres. This concluded today's events.

Arthur F. Duffy, Georgetown University, who fell in the 100 metres race, strained a tendon of his leg and was unable to complete further.

Passengers from Liverpool.

LONDON, July 14.—On board Cunard line steamer Lucania, which sails from Liverpool today, are Walter C. Hillier, who has been appointed adviser to the military authorities in China, Foxhall Keene and Rev. Morgan Dix.

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CHINESE CLOSING IN.

Driving Back the Allies and Sweeping Tien Tsin with Artillery.

LONDON, July 13.—The Tien Tsin correspondent of the Express, telegraphing under date of July 9, asserts that the Chinese are daily driving in the allies. They have mounted, says the correspondent, 12 fresh guns in advantageous positions, with which they are sweeping the streets of the foreign settlement, the incessant fire rendering position after position quite untenable.

The Daily Mail's St. Petersburg correspondent says that in the last six hours' battle outside of Tien Tsin the Cossacks captured six Krupp guns and killed numbers of fleeing Boxers. The Chinese lost 3,000 killed, including General Kek.

In the House of Commons today, replying to questions on the subject, the parliamentary secretary of the foreign office, Mr. William St. John Brodrick, said that little news had been received from China. Her Majesty's government, he explained, had been unable to communicate with the British naval officers in China, because the land lines between Chefoo and Shanghai had been cut.

A dispatch purporting to have been sent from the Emperor of China to Her Majesty's government was received yesterday, but the secretary said he was unable to promise to make its contents known.

Lord Salisbury this afternoon presided at a lengthy cabinet meeting, at which it is understood, important decisions in regard to China were reached. It is said that instructions have already been sent to Simla to prepare another division, consisting of four white and four Indian regiments, with their complements of artillery, for service in China.

A despatch from Boston says: "It is said that a feeling of unrest exists in Shantung because of the withdrawal of a part of the German troops from Taku to Tien Tsin. The German military expedition will carry one battery of 15-centimetre howitzers for the siege of Pekin. The marine ministry intends to charter 30 or 40 vessels for China, many of them to be used as supply ships.

"At a meeting held here, at which were present a number of the highest politicians, leading bankers and other persons of prominence, a society was organized to collect money to provide physicians and nurses for the China expedition.

"The situation in China begins to affect German trade. Orders for railway material for the German Shantung railway have been cancelled. A number of needle factories in Westphalia have closed. A number of firms in Essen, Dortmund and Saxony complain that the state of affairs in China has injured their business."

A Paris despatch says: "The Chinese minister here has communicated to M. Delcasse the imperial edict dated June 29. Delcasse has replied that since the Chinese government had the means to communicate with its representatives abroad, it ought to guarantee communications between the foreign powers and their representatives at Pekin, and he has therefore charged the Chinese minister to transmit a telegram to M. Pichon, the French minister to China."

CHAFFEE IN SUPREME COMMAND.

His Rank May be Raised to Major General.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—Final instructions which will be cabled to Brigadier General Chaffee at Nagasaki within a few days will place that officer in supreme command of all the land forces of the United States which the several branches are operating together in China. This decision has been definitely reached, and will put an end to any further controversy as to the question of precedence between the army, navy and marine corps when engaged in operations ashore.

The War Department is now considering the advisability of giving General Chaffee a temporary appointment of major general in order that he may have rank commensurate with his command. There is no direct authority for such an appointment. The law provides that there shall be a brigadier general for each 1,000 men and a major general for 12,000. The combined United States forces in China, including the marines and such bluejackets as may be landed, will probably not aggregate over 10,000. To avoid any loss of prestige in his relations with forces of other powers, it is deemed advisable by some of the War Department officials that General Chaffee shall have the increased rank, and the President is being urged to make the appointment upon his own authority and trust to the Senate to approve his action by confirming the appointment during the coming session.

The action of the War Department in placing General Chaffee in supreme command of the land forces is based upon article 122 of the articles of war, which stipulates that whenever "different corps of the army happen to join or do duty together, the officer highest in rank of the line of the army, marine corps or militia, by commission, shall command the whole and give orders for what is needful to the service."

No mention is made in any of the articles of war for participation by the navy in land operations. It sometimes happens, however, that sailors are landed with marines and when Admiral Seymour's column first advanced toward Pekin Commander McCalla was in command of the marines and bluejackets. Under the division reached, Commander McCalla, of course, would necessarily become subordinate to General Chaffee, though on account of the seniority which exists between officers of the two services in regard to taking orders from each other, it is thought probable that Commander McCalla will be ordered back to his ships. When the Ninth Infantry, under command of Colonel Liscum, joins the marines and bluejackets at Tien Tsin it is presumed that he will take full command of the joint forces until the arrival of General Chaffee, though he has no specific instructions on this point.

If such instructions can prevent it there will be no friction between American troops and the forces of other nations while operating temporarily in China. Secretary Root has prepared a statement, which has been forwarded to Colonel Liscum, commanding the Ninth infantry, as to the position the American troops will occupy in the international column. It is appreciated by the War Department that friction is bound to occur when men of foreign blood and foreign language are operating together. This is especially true of the officers, who are tenacious of their rank and the privileges which go with it.

It is not proposed that the Americans shall take the lead, General Chaffee's rank being too low for him to be placed in command. So far as possible, the American troops will operate together, but it is plain that there must be mixed brigades, and in this event the senior officers, whether American, Russian, German, or any other, will be placed in command.

The War Department has recently made large contracts for heavy winter clothing of the same kind that has been furnished to the troops sent to Alaska. These will be used by the troops campaigning in China. As reports come that in the vicinity of Pekin, scarcely any water is obtainable, and no fuel, the department will have to send fuel from Japan. So many of the necessaries of life will have to be sent to China that the War Department will have two transports continually running between Nagasaki and Taku.

DEWET INTRENCHED.

Has 10,000 Men and President Steyn Is Under His Protection.

LONDON, July 13.—British prisoners who have escaped to Kroonstad report that General Dewet's force of 10,000 men, with 10 guns, expelled from Bethlehem by General Clements and General Paget, has taken up a strong position 15 miles to the southward, in the hills around Retief Nek. President Steyn is reported to be with them.

A despatch from Wilpoort, Transvaal, says: General Clery's column, which has moved easterly, is now camped here. During the march the mounted infantry engaged 200 Boers, shelling a ridge occupied by the burghers. It is anticipated that this movement will clear the country from Scunderton to Heidelberg, as the troops head but one remaining laager, from which the Boers retired hurriedly.

READY TO WITHDRAW.

Towne Will Sound Popular Feeling Before He Acts.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 13.—Charles A. Towne has left here for Colorado, to make political speeches for Bryan and Stevenson. He will learn the sentiment in that state. Kansas and South Dakota before he officially announces his withdrawal as a Vice Presidential candidate.

Mr. Towne has been a guest at the Bryan home nearly a week, and every phase of the situation in the fusion states has been gone over. Mr. Bryan, it is quite certain, advised his Populist running mate to withdraw, and Mr. Towne is perfectly willing, but he finds very strong pressure among Nebraska Populists to keep him on the ticket.

All the Nebraska politicians left town this afternoon, and Mr. Bryan had an opportunity to resume his work of preparation for the campaign. His out-of-town visitors today were Mr. Tarpy, Democratic national committeeman, and his son, A. B. Tarpy, of California; Representative John J. Lentz and C. C. Philbrick of Columbus, O.

MIDDLETOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Mrs. Thomas J. Sherman visited her sister, Mrs. Thomas Ray, on Prudence Island Thursday.

Mrs. Abram A. Brown went to Providence yesterday, intending to spend a few days with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hazard and Miss Martha B. Simmons were guests of Miss Annie M. Burdick yesterday.

Miss Gertrude Braman was guest of her uncle, Mr. John P. Peabody, and family, yesterday.

Mr. Frank Peckham's son Harold, who was badly hurt by a mowing machine and who it was at first thought would lose his foot, is getting along well. The shoe only on the left foot was cut but the right foot had a cut about half an inch deep into the bone of the ankle socket.

Mrs. William R. Hunter is having a large pond built at "Sunny Fields." It is to have a waterfall and a handsome bridge built over it.

PORTSMOUTH.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

A full-sized audience greeted the Alpha orchestra of Newport, 13 in number, at the concert given at the Christian Church, South Portsmouth, Friday evening. The program was as follows: "Seventh Regiment March," orchestra; song, "The Corn is Bending Lowly," school children; selection from the opera of "Erminie," orchestra; song, "She's Only a Bird in a Gilded Cage," Miss Beulah David; a Spanish fandango, "Mercede," orchestra; singing, "Far Off Land," male quartet, Charles Philpot, H. Chester Holly, Herbert Ashley and William F. Brayton; "The Song of the Roses," orchestra, with cornet solo by Mr. Borden; solo, "Angus MacDonald," Miss Carrie Anthony; selections from the opera of "Boccaccio," orchestra; singing, "The Swanee Shore," quartet, Miss Kate L. Durfee, Mrs. William F. Brayton and Messrs. H. Chester Holly and William F. Brayton; selections from the opera of "Martha," orchestra; solo, "Sing Mother's Hymn to Me," Mr. Charles Philpot; singing by mixed quartet, "Old Aunt Mandy's Child," "Au Revoir," orchestra. At the close of the musical program, which was of a pleasing character and enjoyed by all, refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, cake and cream were served in the vestry.

Misses Lottie and Florence Albert of Fall River are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. William F. Brayton.

Mr. Robert H. Manchester has broken ground for a new house on the 1st north of Mrs. William H. Gifford's house, which is a part of the Manchester homestead land.

Miss Ella D. Chase has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mott.

Miss Annie Manchester of Providence is visiting her sister, Mrs. Oscar C. Manchester.

Mr. Isaac Barker, accompanied by Mr. William Smith, both aged citizens of Middletown, the former being 87 years old, last week, were in the north part of Portsmouth Friday. Mr. Barker has been unable to walk for four years, but looks as hale and fair as many much younger men.

Already quite a number of persons are on the Portsmouth camp ground. The meetings will begin July 27 and continue 10 days.

An unusually large number of people are spending the summer in town.

Miss Nellie Peckham of Middletown is visiting her cousin, Miss Esther Gifford.

Mrs. Herbert Barker has broken up her home in Middletown, and will reside for a time with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Gifford of Glen street.

Mrs. Clarke T. Barker of Middletown was guest Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Manchester.

Miss Jessie Anthony was guest Friday of Miss Mary Anthony of Middletown.

AROUND RHODE ISLAND.

The storm which passed over the Pawtuxet valley Thursday night was of about two hours' duration. The rain fell copiously and parched vegetation was benefited; but had the storm continued for two days instead of two hours, it would hardly have sufficed, after the dearth of rain during the last six weeks. May 21 the water was running over the Flat River reservoir dam. Thursday it was 18 inches below the coping. Since May 21, according to the records kept at the reservoir, only 2.69 inches of rain has fallen, and nearly half of that quantity fell June 26, the date of the last storm preceding that of Thursday. Wells are dry, brooks likewise, and the crops are stunted and withered by a superabundance of sunshine and a lack of moisture. If the drought continues, it will seriously affect the factories.

Yesterday the mansion and grounds of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Wilbour at Bristol were sold at mortgagee's sale, the place being bid in by C. M. Van Slyck of Providence for $21,000. Mr. Van Slyck, who is the attorney of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbour, stated that he acted professionally for another party, but did not care to say who it was. The place is mortgaged for $20,000 and therefore the price at which it was sold is $1,000 in excess of the mortgage. It is said that the mortgagee's sale will pave the way for a clear title to any purchaser hereafter.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Ogg celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage Thursday at their residence in Providence. The house was prettily decorated, and during the evening a supper was served. Presentation speeches followed, there being many gifts suitable to a golden wedding. The descendants of the couple were all present, including one daughter, four sons, with their wives, and six grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Ogg were both born in Scotland, and formerly lived in Glasgow, but for over 30 years have resided in Providence. Mr. Ogg was for a number of years employed at the Builders' Iron Foundry, but on account of poor health has retired.

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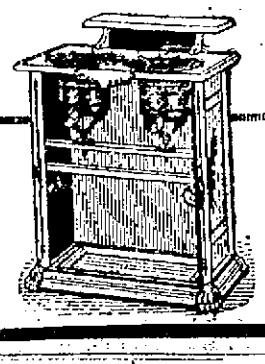

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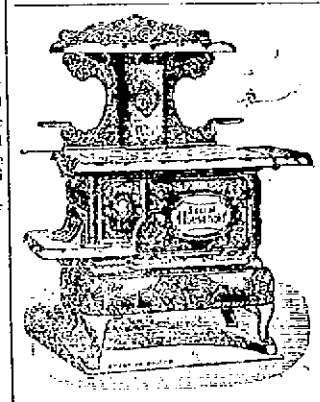

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[Robert G. Skerrett, in Washington Star.]

In these days of doubt and difficulty, we are complacently assured in some directions that the powers need not consider the Chinese navy; that, instead, all attention should be centered upon the Chinese army and the hordes of antagonizing natives, armed with the crudest of fighting implements. This assurance is based merely upon the very uncertain status of affairs and the assumption that the allied forces are dealing only with an insurrectionary body too big for suppression by the domestic troops. Let matters develop into governmental hostility, and the attitude of the Chinese navy becomes another thing.

The imperial navy is more imbued with a spirit of progress and European toleration than the Chinese army, and so far as that breeds a kinder regard for the kindred arms of other nations, it is reasonable to count upon a fairer view of the present purpose of the allied forces in shielding their subjects resident here; but the moment the Boxers become the exponents of the throne the navy must become involved in the support of the kingdom and at once be reckoned with as an effective unit of Chinese might.

Flippantly, the Chinese navy has been described as of no moment; but the allied forces will do well not to consider her few effective ships in that indifferent light, for there are soldiers of fortune in plenty only too glad to lead those vessels against very desperate odds or to use them in some form of nautical guerilla warfare possible of infinite damage.

The Chinese navy has never recovered from its conflict with Japan, and today cannot boast of a single armored craft in the whole of the fleet or two fleets—for so the service is divided. This at once narrows its service, but it does not preclude the commission of some pretty serious damage to the fleets or transports of the allied powers.

The imperial service has eight protected cruisers of modern design, the oldest being but 10 years old. Of these ships, two of them have 11.5 and 16-knot speeds, while the six remaining can do from 20 to 23 knots and are evolutions of the Armstrong cruiser of fine rapid-fire gun power. Our New Orleans and Albany are smaller versions of the class. There are six other cruisers of older date—14 and 15-knot craft—armed with pretty heavy Krupp guns of effective pattern.

The Hai-Chi and the Hai-Tien, built in 1897 and 1898, are of 4,300 tons displacement. They each have a main battery of two powerful 8-inch and ten 5.9-inch quick-firing rifles with [illegible] secondary force of 16 3-pounders, six 1-pounders and a number of smaller quick-firing pieces. They carry five torpedo tubes, and have complements of nearly 400 persons. With a forced draught speed of 23 knots, these ships would be a serious menace to transports not heavily convoyed, and to unguarded merchantmen they might prove even a more costly danger. The Hai-Sieu, Hai-Show and Hai-Yung, built in Germany in 1897 and 1898, are vessels of 3,200 displacement and can do their 20.7 knots under forced draught. Each of them carries three 5.9-inch and eight 4-inch quick-firing Krupp rifles, together with an auxiliary force of a dozen small rapid-fire pieces. They have three torpedo tubes, of which one is of the latest under-water type. Their complements are 250 persons. Their logical application, under present conditions, would be to attack the commerce of the allied powers or to pick off the wandering gunboats of the enemy.

Of gunboats or torpedo cruisers as the official list is pleased to call them, there are nine—one of 23 knots, one of 22 knots, three of 16 knots and four of 11 knots—the last four could hardly do much against the modern speedy torpedo boat. Of gunboats and torpedo gunboats of older design the navy has 11, but they are of more defensive than offensive value.

Of torpedo boat destroyers there are four new German-built vessels of 35-knot speed—boats that are equal to anything of the kind possessed by any other naval power. Of China's torpedo boat flotilla there remains of those she before war with Japan 30 first-class torpedo boats, to which should be added two fine German boats of recent date. These vessels can make from 18 to 21 knots, and are to be counted a pretty formidable force. There are 11 smaller boats of a 19-knot type, also survivors of the war with Japan. Many of these torpedo boats have been kept in constant use in the customs revenue service, and their crews are perfectly familiar with the mechanical handling of the craft which, before everything else, is the prime consideration in the successful management and endurance of this type of fighting vessel.

As we estimate a modern navy, China's present force would certainly have no show in a stand-up fight with armored ships, but with her cruisers and gunboats told off for commerce destroying and transport attack, and her torpedo boats and destroyers in hardy hands set against the enemy's forces of all sorts for a torpedo boat's sting may even a battleship's death—the Chinese navy becomes anything but a passive force.

In fact, inspired by that reckless spirit easily aroused in the Chinaman, a Chinese torpedo boat or "destroyer" might accomplish a great deal more than a modern battleship in the same hands, for the fear of death and the facing of appalling odds are things weighed lightly by the Mongolian mind when once thoroughly aroused.

Generally the ships of the Chinese

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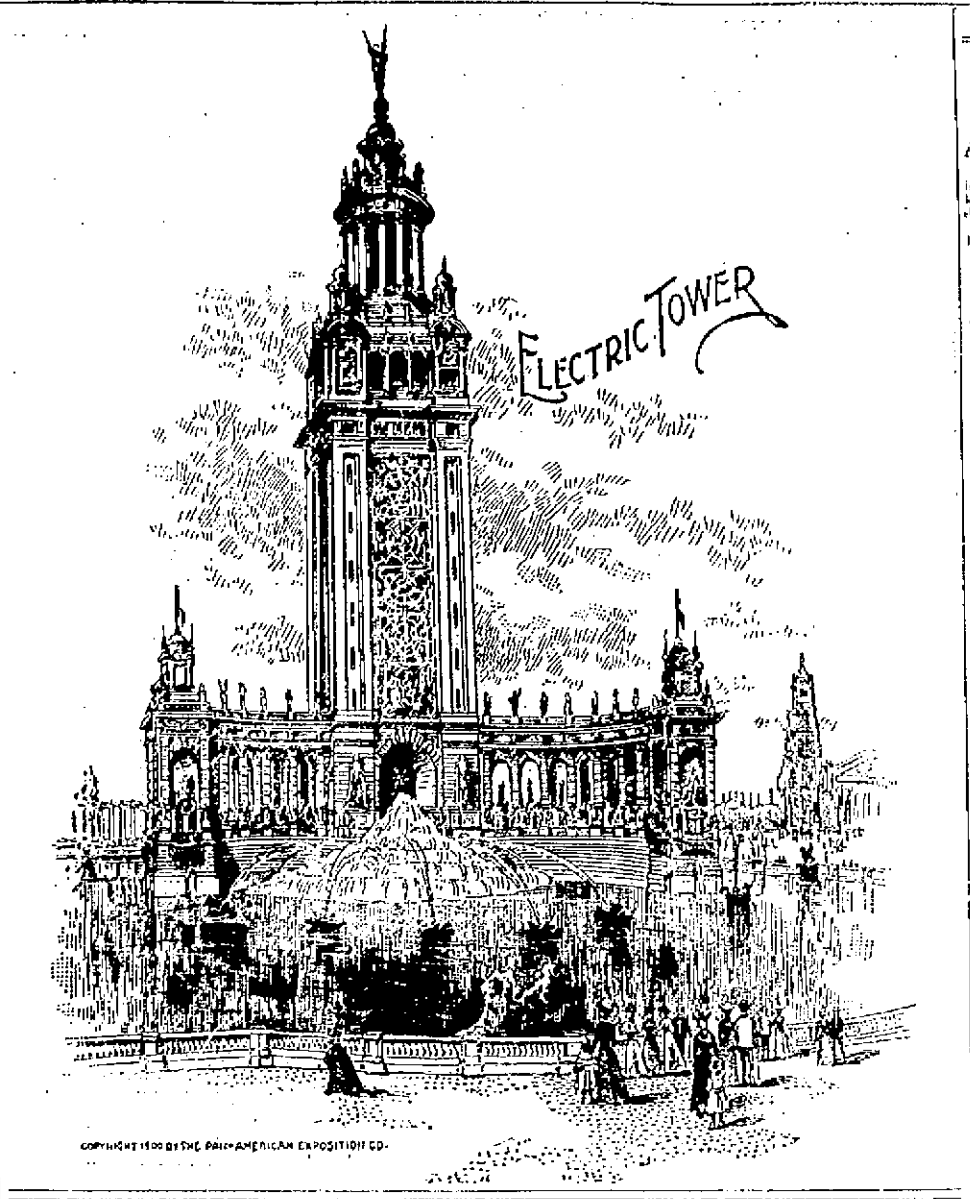

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The height of the tower is 348 feet above the surface of the broad basin in which [illegible] the Court of the Fountains and the Plaza, on the north side of the Mall, and it looks down upon the Agricultural Building at the east and the Electricity Building on the west. The tower proper is flanked on the east and west by long, curved colonnades, which sweep to the southward and terminate in airy pavilions, forming a semi-circular space 200 feet across. Within this space, and in a high niche in the main body of the tower, [illegible] colonnades, while all about the basin, are leaping jets and countless playful figures, each with its spurt of water, combining to make a brilliant water scene. At the centre of the niche is a tall geyser fountain, whose waters find their way from the high basin within the niche over successive ledges and among a multitude of vases to the level of the pool.

The main body of the tower is 80 feet square, and from the surface of the water to the top of the colonnades is 75 feet. This portion of the structure is enriched by a system of decorative rustication bands, which give an aspect of great solidity to the base. The shaft of the tower is treated with great simplicity. The centre of each side is panelled with fantastically perforated work, through which is indistinctly revealed the massive framework of the tower. This feature is calculated to produce a remarkable effect when lighted from within, as it is the intention to do.

The main shaft of the tower terminates in an elaborate entablature at the height of 200 feet. The crown of the tower rests upon this entablature, and is composed of three stories of diminishing proportions and varying design. The lower of these stories is an arcaded loggia, rich in ornamentation and having the wall surfaces brilliantly colored. Pavilionettes at the corners terminate in light, fantastic cupolas. The second stage, or lantern of the tower crown, is in the form of a high, circular colonnade, entirely open, so as to allow the effect of the sky to be seen between the columns. A spiral staircase within the colonnade leads to the last stage of the tower, the cupola, over whose soaring dome is poised the superb figure of Electricity herself, thus dominating the entire composition, which owes so much to her generously exerted power. From the water to the feet of the figure of Electricity is a vertical distance of 341 feet. The figure is 17 feet in height.

The entrance to the tower is across an ornamented bridge from the Plaza, on the north side. Elevators will carry passengers to the various floors, which will be devoted to different purposes of the exposition, such as reception rooms, offices, restaurants, belvederes and amusement halls. A large restaurant, at a height of 200 feet, will give the diner a broad and beautiful view of the exposition and the surrounding landscape. From the cupola the eye can sweep the whole Niagara frontier, and look far into Canada, beyond the majestic river that separates that country from the States.

Sculpture plays an important part in the decoration of the tower. Two magnificent monumental groups of statuary flank each of the four sides of the base.

Above the water niche in the southern face of the tower is a magnificent escutcheon, representing the arms and seal of the United States. In the spandrels of the arch above the niche are sculptures in high relief. The pavilions and wings are also richly decorated with sculptures and other architectural devices. The entire exterior of the tower will be studded with myriads of electric lights, so arranged that a great variety of effects can be secured. The use of electric lights in combination with the sparkling fountains and cascades will produce scenes of fantastic beauty.

FASHION HINTS.

Large scarfs continue to be worn, and are of black or colored mousseline de soie or crepe de chine and have a plaited flounce at the ends, headed by a purling. The [illegible] and stickpins.

A charming novelty is a [illegible] of [illegible] or very [illegible] with large [illegible] daisies with [illegible] set here and there, as if [illegible] the latter. Instead of daisies, patches or little [illegible] roses are sometimes used, appearing [illegible] and the light veiling [illegible] excellent effect.

Little bolenos of corded and tucked taffeta are much seen in black and white. They are usually comparatively plain, sometimes without revers, and are

CLOTH COSTUME.

attractive accessories for a light summer gown.

Tiny tucks and plaits are still the extreme of fashion and are used in all sorts of ways. On bolieros they are sometimes less than a sixteenth of an inch wide and are made with great exactitude, as decorations which lack regularity are of no value.

In the case of some thin gowns the omnipresent ruffle is replaced by plaitings, which, like ruffles, are decorated in various ways.

The cut shows a costume of old rose satin cloth. The skirt, laid in large box plaits, is smooth at the top and adorned with groups of stitched folds which cross and form points. The bolero is trimmed in the same manner, as are the tops of the sleeves. The yoke and plastron are of lace guipure over old rose silk, and the belt is of black velvet, the buttons being enameled. The toque is of draped old rose tulle, spangled with gold, and is trimmed with old rose feathers.

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The man from Kokomo observed: "By ginger, that's a fact,
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And still another stranger, said the man's comment was true,
And added with a smile of pride: "My horse is Kal'mazoo."
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And up at Ypsilanti we speak of it every day.
The names are not uncivilized and heathen in their sing,
That's what I told my uncle yesterday in Kipsaing."
"Hohokus is my native town," another stranger said,
"And I think all these Chinese names the worst I ever read."
"Quite true," agreed a quiet man, "they're certainly uncanny,
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Tourne—He's got an awful cold in his head.

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In the Woods. She—Fred, what is the matter? I know there is some trouble or other.

He—Rather. The fact is, I have lost my way.

She—Isn't that nice? Pa has always said he didn't like your way. Now, you have lost it, of course he can't help liking you.—[Boston Transcript.

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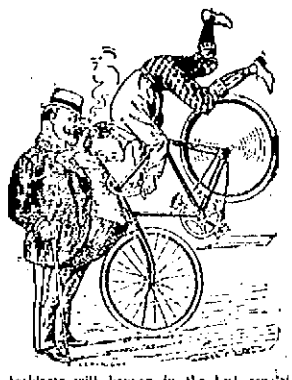

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SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1900.

A WORTHY APPEAL.

In Thursday's issue we published the appeal of the committee on Indian Famine Relief. We feel sure that in Newport this appeal will not fall on deaf ears, and that our city will not be behind others in promptness and largeness of liberality. In another column today is the notice of the meeting to be held at the Casino; the cause and the speaker are worthy of a sympathetic audience which will fill the theatre.

There is little need of further explanation of the state of affairs, but this is to be said: "The condition at the present moment is critical. Rain has come, the relief camps are breaking up, and families are returning to the villages. Aid for the farmers is the great need; these cultivators of the soil must be supported until the next harvest. To keep them on their feet and at their work mail that time is the only salvation of the country.

But the paramount need of the moment is money for the care of the children. Thousands have been orphaned, or have been deserted in the wet and cold. Fifteen hundred little ones were under care at Ahmednagar a month ago, but a recent table tells of hundreds of little ones who have been cast on the workers there, and the means are utterly inadequate to meet the sudden demand. Ten thousand dollars is needed at that place to provide shelter for the children. This amount would serve a double charity, in that famine labor would be utilized in the erection of the shelters required. This is but one instance of what is reported from the Famine district.

The misconception of the workings the appeal to every heart. Race, caste, creed, are not thought of for a moment at the relief stations. The Indian government is affording aid with a splendid liberality, but it is still woefully inadequate, and as was shown in the appeal of Thursday unavailable because of the caste prejudices of the natives. In the face of such distress and such conditions, he gives twice who gives immediately.

A PLAIN DUTY.

There is such a thing as short-sightedness, and there is such a thing as looking too far ahead, creating an imaginary future and neglecting the present for the remote and the uncertain. Those who are worrying now as to what the country is getting involved in by the consistent and only respectable course of joining with the other powers for the relief of the foreigners in China are carrying their anti-expansionist ideas too far, and showing a strange indifference toward the fate of their countrymen while they bewilder themselves with trying to see the way of the United States out of an entirely suppositious dilemma.

The duty of the present is too plain to be clouded by any such nonsense as the opposition to the government is preaching. To rescue our fellow-countrymen as far as possible, and to bring about a state of affairs where a recurrence of the horrors of the moment will be impossible, is the only thing for today. It would be easier to sit still and let the other nations bear the brunt of the fight, and come in at the end for a share in profit in the way of trade with the East hereafter, but it would be a despicable performance, and one that only a little band of visionary men could suggest or a discredited politician who is on the lookout for anything against the Republican party. No country can survive without the respect of other countries. Treaty promises would be as topes of sand, once a nation got a name for not being to care for its people abroad and allowing itself to be imposed upon. That our army and navy should be one of the most active in China is the demand of the American citizen, and any neglect of duty there would speedily meet with disavow at home from all classes and from those of various parties.

RIVAL PORCHES.

There are two lively parties in evidence at present. As "the ancient stock in their porch, with force disputes maintained their church," so Mr. McKinley and Mr. Bryan have taken their positions in the home entrance for the next few months, and there they will set forth platforms and policies. It is said that the President has cleared his grounds for action in a fashion that denotes his willingness to sacrifice any beauty of lawn, while Mr. Bryan has had a fence erected about his grass plot, with a thrifty idea of having something to fall back on if he is not to leave home for the White House. One candidate shows in his action in this respect a greater reliance on the future bringing what is wanted.

At Canton the plan is to have the people gather about the President, crowding on the lawn and sitting on the steps, where in a blaze of electric light the porch will hear what good things the triumph of the Republican party will continue to bring the country. At the Democratic headquarters the silverites will be addressed from an equally brilliantly lighted porch, but they are to stand in the street and hear of the virtue of silver and the horrors of annexation, with a well kept sward in front of them. There is some comment on the bright yellow, gold-suggesting tint of Mr. Bryan's house, which will make his background, but that is probably an accident.

HARD ON ASTOR.

The London papers are particularly hard on our old countryman, Mr. W. W. Astor, and the Prince and Princess of Wales are said to have indicated as much displeasure at his course as those high personalities are allowed to indulge in. The gist of this is that the lesser lights, who can more freely express their sentiments, are going to make it socially uncomfortable for the man who has a newspaper and airs his grievances, and incidentally other people's affairs, in public for the gratification of general curiosity. It is reported that Mr. Astor has already met with so many humiliations growing out of the attack on Mr. Milne that he has cancelled his engagements and withdrawn invitations to various entertainments he had proposed giving, which might turn out failures with the feeling against him now. It is rumored that Mr. Astor is considering a retreat to Germany. He has been called the modern "man without a country," but it looks as if he is in a way of accumulating countries.

GOLD DEMOCRATS OUT OF IT.

W. D. Bynum of Indiana, chairman of the Gold Democratic executive committee, is authority for the statement that the Gold Democrats will not put a Presidential ticket in the field. He says: "We cannot get our electors on the official ballot in New York because no votes were cast for the party candidate for governor in 1898, and the state law requires that a certain number of votes shall have been cast for state officers in the preceding election before the nominees of any party can go on the official ballot in the pending contest. The only way we can have our candidates for electors put on the official ballot is by petition of a certain number of voters in each county, an exceedingly difficult thing to do."

In other states the secret ballot laws will operate against an independent ticket.

RECIPROCITY WITH GERMANY.

The new commercial arrangement between the United States and Germany, which has been adopted under the reciprocity clause in the Dingley tariff law, will be of mutual benefit to the two countries. The concessions granted will insure to this country the benefits of the conventional tariff which is granted to other nations with whom Germany is on friendly relations, and it is said by representatives of the German government that the trade of the United States will profit by $75,000,000 a year.

The American exporters of meat and food products will profit especially by getting rid of some of the exacting and discriminating duties which have hitherto been levied or threatened by Germany. The arrangement is within the complete discretion of the President, not requiring the ratification of the Senate, and will go into effect as soon as announced by the State Department.

Exchanges are commending editorially on the liveliness of the last Newport wedding, and some unpleasant criticisms have been made. The stories sent abroad to the papers were of the most sensational character, and it is popularly believed outside the city that all Newport stood on tiptoe, divided between admiration and horror, as ladies in delicate costumes played the fishwife, and well known people indulged in high antics before a large audience on a public wharf. The papers are making the most of what was a few minutes of merriment that did not pass the bounds of good taste. There is really no occasion for the sermonizing to which these stories have given rise.

The New York Democrats, as undoubtedly those of other states in the East, in the Presidential campaign will hide the silver question as much as possible behind the issues based on trusts and imperialism. The Republicans, however, will not allow the sixteen to one plank to lapse into obscurity, and the disadvantages of free silver will be put forward by them, while the newspapers will have a little to say about the matter, too. The silver issue cannot be dodged or forgotten.

The general manager of the St. Louis Transit Company has issued a statement in which he denies all the charges made by the striking employes. He denies that he has violated in the slightest degree the agreement between the strikers' committee and the Transit company, and says he has endeavored to act fairly with the strikers at all times.

The sale of the Harper & Brothers' property is said to be in the interest of those now conducting the business, and is a movement to get the property out of the hands of the receiver. It is said that the managers have already made money enough in the past six months to assure the future of the company.

Former Senator Gorman of Maryland says the Democratic platform is a well written document. Further than that he refuses to talk about the matter. Mr. Gorman is one of those shrewd politicians who know how to say nothing.

Hon. Perry S. Heath resigns as first assistant postmaster general to become secretary of the Republican national committee, and will have charge of the committee's literary bureau. He held a similar position in the Presidential campaign four years ago.

The census count, as made at this time, indicates that Washington is coming out as one of the large American cities. Ten years ago she had 277,183 citizens.

The American athletes seem to be able to win in Paris as well as in England.

All true Americans ought to rejoice in the Yankee's victory.

CHINESE CIVILIZATION: THE IDEAL AND THE REAL.

[D. Z. Sheffield, in the July Forum.]

Western students of Chinese life and letters are surprised at the lofty ideals of government, of the family and of society set forth in the ancient classical literature, which from generation to generation has exerted an ennobling influence upon the thoughts of the people. But they are also surprised that these ideals have been realized to so small an extent in government, in the family and in society.

Ancient Chinese literature is a witness to the nobility of human nature in its best thoughts and aspirations. The Sages taught that man is made for virtue: "To be benevolent is to be a man." They taught that virtue distinguishes men from animals, and that when men fail to be virtuous they cease to be men. The heart of man tends toward goodness as water tends to flow downward. Water may be forced upward, but that is not its tendency; in like manner men may be driven to evil, but it is not according to their nature. The mountain clothes itself with forests and verdure, but axemen come from the neighboring city and cut down the trees; fresh shoots spring up from the living roots, but the cattle browse them down until the mountain is bald and desolate, and men say it is the nature of the mountains to be bald and desolate. Not so; its condition is the result of violence to its nature. Thus man's nature seeks to clothe itself with virtue, but it is assailed by external evils, until finally the recuperative powers of the heart become paralyzed, and we look upon the evil man and say it is his nature to be evil. Not so; his true nature has been overcome by the evil that is alien to it. "The end of learning is to recover the lost heart," which is the "child-heart" that all men have in common.

Confucius tersely describes the ideal condition in human relations as realized "when the prince acquits himself as prince, the minister as minister, the father as father, and the son as son"—that is, when men in every rank in society discharge faithfully the duties belonging to their place. The "law of Heaven" is the law of right, the law of duty; and wisdom consists in correctly applying this law in the relations of life. Confucius taught that the end of learning was to develop and make manifest the innate virtue, to renovate the people and to rest in the highest goodness.

Chinese history has not been without examples of upright rulers and faithful citizens, of "compassionate fathers and filial sons;" but the ideal state and the ideal family have been, for the most part, themes to be talked about, to be written of in elegant essays, but not to be striven after, or experienced. The "Son of Heaven" has usually proved to be a son of earth in his bondage to its passions and allurements. Ministers have been eyes and ears and hands, not for the service of their princes, but for the service of their own ignoble appetites and ambitions. Society has been ruled not by the law of benevolence, but by the law of selfishness. The operation of this law is also seen in family life. Parents regard children as given to them to command; children, in turn, have few rights in the presence of their parents. There is a popular saying that "parents are the family gods," and too often they rule in their households with the authority of gods. The disciple of Confucius learned through observing the relations between the sage and his son that "the superior man is not intimate with his children." In general the hard and selfish rule of parents begets a formal and selfish service in children. Falsehood and duplicity take the place of truthfulness and candor, and enforcing authority is met by unloving obedience.

GARBAGE DISPOSAL IN NEW YORK CITY.

[Scientific American.]

Without entering into the merits of the controversy regarding the Barren Island reduction works, there is no denying that the recent action of the state officials in forbidding the reduction of garbage on the island by the present methods will bring this city face to face with a very serious problem.

In spite of the offensive odors which prompted the recent complaint from the residents in the neighborhood of the reduction works, there is no question that the plan did get rid of an enormous amount of organic refuse, which must otherwise have been left upon the hands of the street cleaning department. Recent figures state that every year 150,000 tons of swill alone, not to mention other forms of refuse, have to be disposed of in some manner consistent with the public health. It will be a decided step backward if the material, which at present is rendered innocuous at Barren island, were to be added to the garbage which is taken out on scows and dumped into the sea outside the harbor. Such a step would seem to postpone indefinitely the time for which we have all been hoping, when this primitive and, as almost said, disgraceful way of disposing of the city's wastes will be entirely abolished. The miscellaneous rubbish which strews the shores of New Jersey and Long Island, and spreads its disgusting fringe over the various beaches of the lower bay, bears painful witness to the fact that this great city has never yet grappled seriously and scientifically with the problem of garbage disposal.

The foregoing statement is made with full knowledge of the fact that a specious and incomplete attempt was made a few years ago to get rid of a portion of the city's wastes by a method of sorting and burning. While every credit is due to the late Colonel Waring for putting up this experimental plant, it seems that the scheme was inaugurated on too small a scale, and was subsequently too heavily handicapped by political drawbacks, to afford very reliable data as to the cost and efficiency of the process.

Whatever method is to be pursued in the immediate future, it is certain that before long New York must cease to throw its rubbish into the sea and devise some less primitive method. Obviously, the first step should be the appointment of an expert commission to go thoroughly into the whole question of garbage disposal, examine the plants installed in various great cities, both here and abroad, and determine upon a system which would best meet the local conditions in New York city.

JAPAN'S "FINEST."

Some of the Rules That Govern the Police Force in That Country.

If the Japanese are not generally regarded as the politest people in the world, their claim to such distinction cannot remain much longer in dispute. Mr. Ikigami Shiro, chief police inspector of Kiogo Ken, has recently issued the following instructions relating to foreigners to the chiefs of police stations:

1. It is the principle of international intercourse to treat visitors from far-off lands kindly and politely, and it is also the common spirit of civilized nations to live in harmony of feeling toward each other. Many foreign residents understand the Japanese language, and it is better to try to first address them in polite Japanese. Never use any unpleasant words or criticize the foreigner's movements, clothing or his business. He is able to understand our meaning very often, even if he cannot speak Japanese. Try to prevent any unpleasantness toward foreigners while they are shopping by allowing a crowd of bystanders around them.

2. Foreigners treat dogs better than we can think of, and a diligent search should be made and good protection given when notice of a missing dog is given. When a house dog barks at you, you should tell the servant of the house to pacify it. Don't treat it roughly.

3. When you call on a foreigner you should not go in the early morning, at meal hours, or late at night, if you can help it. The best hours for calls are from 9 A. M. to noon, and 2 P. M. to 6 P. M. You should pay good attention to your clothing prior to your call, and should be very careful not to commit any blunders during your call. You should ask for admittance by pushing a call bell or striking a gong placed before the door for the purpose. If there is no bell, knock at the door with your finger, but never call out for admittance.

4. If the usher appears at the door, you should ask him if the foreigner you want to see is in, and deliver your card to be conveyed to him. Before you enter the house you should clean your boots on the shoemats placed at the entrance.

5. Greetings to foreigners are conveyed by a simple bow. Don't shake hands with them if you are not invited to do so.

6. Dress your hair and beard always. Dirty clothing and an unkempt head are an insult in civilized countries.

A GREAT GOLD OUTPUT.

[Boston Transcript.]

In spite of the disastrous effects of the war in South Africa upon mining, it appears that the world's gold production for this year will surpass that of any previous year. When the war broke out a fear prevailed in some quarters that the output of the South African mines would be so restricted that serious inconvenience would be felt in monetary circles through a scarcity of gold. Happily, such fears proved groundless. The output of the Transvaal last year amounted to 4,602,936 ounces, as compared with the record total of 4,295,602 ounces in 1898. The gold production of the Transvaal was practically stopped last October, when the product fell from about 411,000 ounces to less than 20,000 ounces. In December the production rose to about 74,000 ounces, and since the British have gained possession of the gold district the production has gone up again to about the normal figures.

As if to make up for any deficiency from South Africa, the Klondike output shows an enormous increase. It is impossible to make any accurate estimates of the probable gold production of Alaska for this year. Every returning steamer from Alaska brings large quantities of gold, one of them having on board more than $1,500,000 worth of gold. The opening of the Cape Nome district has added greatly to the output of Alaskan gold; and while the figures vary all the way from $30,000,000 to $50,000,000 in the estimates of the probable output, it will be some time before the Transvaal figures are reached. It is apparent, however, that no fears need be entertained of a scarcity of gold this year.

OOM PAUL.

[The Fortnightly Review.]

Peasant, millionaire, rebel, autocrat, lay preacher, filibuster, visionary and statesman, Paul Kruger is easily the most interesting figure of a president now living. Some have gone back from the generation of McKinley and Loubet to compare him with the great dead, and have likened Oom Paul to Old Abe. That is very superficial. In so far as the issues of secession and slavery have touched South Africa—and they are both there—Kruger figures not on Lincoln's side, but on the other. He is an arch "secesher," and the farthest possible from an abolitionist. He has the piety and the humor, though both grimmer and less sunny than Lincoln's; he has the shrewdness, only shading rather into cunning; he has the earnestness of character, the sense of a call, the unquailing fortitude, past all cavil; but, alas! he has not the moral fastidiousness, the rigorously clean hands, the unbreathed-on name of Abraham Lincoln. In Kruger, as in his rival, Cecil Rhodes, there are flaws that must make a thoughtful contemporary hesitate to canonize either among the really great. Posterity may or may not stop for such flaws. Its verdict will depend perhaps more on the relative permanence of the two men's life work, which to contemporaries it is not given to know. But whether or not we dub Kruger great, we must allow him, no whit less than his rival, many qualities of greatness.

Hugo self-confidence, contempt for ease, unflagging devotion to an aim, tyrannous command over men, and that remorseless persistence that goes far to command events—these are qualities of greatness, and these are common to Rhodes and Kruger. The Boer adds a half-religious, half-racial fanaticism, which fits him to die for a dream as the khalifa and his entire died on their sheepskins. His patriotism is as genuine as his piety; but it is as narrow. A Continental writer described the armed Transvaal as the Prussia of South Africa, and indeed Kruger has many traits in common with Bismarck than Lincoln.

THE WALL OF PEKIN.

Writing on the city of Pekin, the London Engineer says that the walls of the Tartar city are of an average height of 50 feet, but portions of the north wall reach the height of 61 feet. Their average width is about 40 feet, but they have been built so irregularly that in places a width of 57 feet is found, in others a width of only 22 feet. The outer face of the wall is perpendicular, while its inner face slopes, in some places very considerably. Parapets are erected on both inner and outer faces of the wall, that on the latter being loopholed and crenellated. At intervals of about 50 or 60 yards are large buttresses, every sixth being of much larger size than the others; the smaller ones are about 15 feet to 20 feet square. Part of the inner brick lining having fallen away from the north wall, an opportunity was afforded of observing its construction.

Near the gates the walls are occasionally faced with stone, but in other parts by immense bricks which bear a strong resemblance to stone. The space between the facings is filled up, first by a solid foundation of concrete of some 10 feet in depth, then by a layer of well-rammed earth, another layer of concrete and another of earth succeed, the latter being paved with large blocks of granite, which form the terreplein. The earth to fill in the wall was taken from the ditch which surrounds the city. The concrete resisted all the efforts of our sappers to form a trench on the terreplein during the last war. Each of the gates has a buttress on either side connected with a semi-circular wall, which thus forms an enceinte. That of the central south gates is larger than any of the others, and is the only one with three entrances—the central gate being for the use of the emperor or his family alone. The arches of the gateways are well built.

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Architect,
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ROOM 26.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, July 14, 8 A. M.—Forecast for Rhode Island—Fair tonight and Sunday; warmer in interior Sunday; light to fresh northwesterly winds.

BOSTON AND VICINITY.

BOSTON, July 14, 8 A.M.—For Boston and vicinity—Fair tonight and Sunday; warmer Sunday; northwest to west winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The weather this morning is fair, although there is much cloudiness in parts of all districts. The rainfall for the past 24 hours, consisting of showers, is widely scattered over the country. The pressure continues low over the western half of the country, but is normal to high east of the Mississippi river, except in the northeast, where it is low. The barometer is highest, 30.44 inches, at Atlanta and lowest, 29.56 inches, at Cedar City, Utah. The temperature has not changed greatly in any quarter.

J. W. SMITH,
Local Forecast Official.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

	8 h	12 h	14 h
Temperature,	71	80	70
Barometer,	29.71	29.70	29.78
Wind,	N W	N W	N W
Weather,	Clear	Fair	Fair

MINIATURE CALENDAR.

SATURDAY, JULY 14.

Sun rises	4 h 19 m
Sun sets	19 h 20 m
Moon rises	20 h 31 m
Length of day	15 h 01 m
Day's decrease	0 h 16 m
High water	8 h 41 m; 21 h 07 m

SUNDAY, JULY 15.

Sun rises	4 h 20 m
Sun sets	19 h 20 m
Moon rises	21 h 02 m
Length of day	15 h 00 m
Day's decrease	0 h 17 m
High water	9 h 33 m; 21 h 58 m

MONDAY, JULY 16.

Sun rises	4 h 21 m
Sun sets	19 h 19 m
Moon rises	21 h 31 m
Length of day	14 h 58 m
Day's decrease	0 h 19 m
High water	10 h 22 m; 22 h 50 m

TUESDAY, JULY 17.

Sun rises	4 h 22 m
Sun sets	19 h 18 m
Moon rises	22 h 01 m
Length of day	14 h 56 m
Day's decrease	0 h 21 m
High water	11 h 18 m; 23 h 47 m

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18.

Sun rises	4 h 23 m
Sun sets	19 h 18 m
Moon rises	22 h 37 m
Length of day	14 h 55 m
Day's decrease	0 h 22 m
High water	12 h 17 m; — h — m

Moon's Phases,
Last Quarter, July 19, 0 h 31 m, E.
New Moon, July 26, 8 h 13 m, E.
First Quarter, August 3, 11 h 19 m, E.
Full Moon, August 10, 16 h 33 m, E.

NEW TODAY.

Found Purse; 7th page.
Arthan Palmist; 1th page.
Wilson's Nurseries; 4th page.
Lost—Gold Watch; 7th page.
Hood's Sarsaparilla; 4th page.
Her Majesty's Corset; 8th page.
Wanted—Small Cottage; 7th page.
Lappin—Summer Gowns; 8th page.
H. L. Dyer—Farm for Sale; 4th page.
The Best Business Position; 8th page.
Wanted—Experienced Driver; 7th page.
A. C. Titus Co.—2 Great Blessings; 1st page.
E. A. Eiles & Co.—Special Prices; 8th page.

NOTICES.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between James J. Lynch and John E. Sullivan, under firm name of Lynch & Sullivan, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Lynch will continue the business at the old stand on Mill street, where all persons having claims against said firm should present them and all persons indebted to said firm should make payment.

JAMES J. LYNCH,
JOHN E. SULLIVAN.

Newport, R. I., July 12, 1900.

NOTICE!

FROM THIS DATE HARRY G. HAMMETT WILL BE ASSOCIATED WITH ME IN THE LUMBER AND HARDWARE BUSINESS, UNDER THE FIRM NAME OF A. & H. G. HAMMETT.

I WISH TO THANK MY CUSTOMERS FOR THEIR FAVORS IN THE PAST AND REQUEST A CONTINUANCE OF THEIR PATRONAGE.

ALBERT HAMMETT.

July 2, 1900.

NOTICE.

The regular meetings of the Board of Police Commissioners will be held on Friday evenings at 8 o'clock and the office hours for the clerk of said commission daily from 11 A. M. to 1 P. M. at Room 2, Mercury Building.

By Order of the Board,
GEO. H. VAUGHAN, Clerk.

Notice to Taxpayers.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES, KINSLEY BUILDING, 220 THAMES ST., NEWPORT, R. I., June 30, 1900.

THE TAX BILL for 1900 is now in my hands for collection, and must be paid from and including

JULY 1, 1900, to and including AUGUST 31, 1900.

The time allowed by the Ordinance of the City Council for the payment of this Tax expires on the 31st day of August, 1900, and according to said Ordinance (as authorized by the Laws of this State) all taxes not paid on or before that date, shall carry, until collected, a PENALTY at the rate of 12 per centum per annum.

Taxpayers are therefore earnestly requested to pay the amount assessed upon their several estates.

Checks accepted.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.

E. W. HIGBEE,
Collector of Taxes.

THE CITY OF NEWPORT.

Notice of Application for Transfer of Liquor License.

SECOND CLASS.

At a meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners of the City of Newport, held Friday, June 22, 1900, the following named person made application for transfer of liquor license, under the provisions of Chapter 102 of the General Laws of Rhode Island:

Peter Bryer, from Ernst Voigt, 40 West Broadway, to 23 & 25 Broadway.

And July 3 William M. Elson, from Edwin J. Scabrough, 31 Bath Road, to 98 Levin St.

The Board of Police Commissioners will be in session at their office in the Mercury Building on FRIDAY, JULY 6 and 13, at 8 o'clock P. M., when an opportunity will be given for remonstrances to be heard before action upon said application.

Published by order of the Police Commissioners.

GEO. H. VAUGHAN, Clerk.

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197 THAMES STREET

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DIED.

BAGNALL—In Fall River, 13th inst., Elizabeth, wife of Samuel Bagnall, aged 66 years.
WRIGHT—In Providence, 12th inst., Joseph C. Wright, in his 63d year.
HUBBARD—In Providence, 12th inst., Almira Sargent, widow of Sabin Hubbard, late of Franklin, Mass., in her 75th year.
TABER—In Providence, 13th inst., Louisa Edmunds, youngest daughter of Lydia A. Morse and the late Otis Taber, in her 19th year.
LAWTON—In Riverpoint, 13th inst., Mary F., widow of Isaac D. Lawton of Natick, in her 81st year.

ROBERT C. COTTRELL, Undertaker and Embalmer, 322 & 324 Thames street. Residence, 194 Mill street. Telephone at office and residence.

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PROPOSALS.

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SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the City Hall Commission at the office of the City Clerk in the City of Newport before 5 o'clock P. M. Friday, July 20, 1900, for furnishing the necessary labor and material required to build and complete a retaining wall on the easterly side of the new City Hall site according to the plans and specifications drawn by John D. Johnston, Architect, which may be seen at his office No. 6 Mill street, in said Newport, between the hours of 8 A. M. and 5 P. M. daily.

The Commission will require that the contractor and all mechanics and laborers employed by him must be citizens of Newport.

Proposals should be addressed to the "City Hall Commission."

The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

CITY HALL COMMISSION.
Louis Shumler, Chairman

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SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the City Hall Commission, at the office of the City Clerk, in the City of Newport, before five o'clock P. M., FRIDAY, July 20, 1900, for supplying the vault and other furniture and fixtures to be installed in the new City Hall in said Newport, in accordance with the plans and specifications drawn by John D. Johnston, Architect, which may be seen at his office, No. 60 Mill street, in said Newport, between the hours of eight A. M. and five P. M. daily on and after Friday, July 13, 1900.

Proposals should be addressed to the "City Hall Commission."

The Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

CITY HALL COMMISSION.
Louis Shumler, Chairman.

GOVERNOR'S ISLAND, N. Y. H., JULY 11, 1900.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, for furnishing Forage and Straw required in Dept. of the East during fiscal year ending June 30, 1901, will be received here and at places indicated in instructions issued hereunder, until 12 M., August 1, 1900. U. S. reserves right to reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Information furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals will be endorsed "Proposals for Forage and Straw at——," to JAS. M. WHITE, A. Q. M. G. 7-11-100.

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AGAINST THE POLICE COMMISSION.

Bill in Equity Filed for the City and Chief Kaull.

Another move in the police commission matter was made yesterday by the filing with Clerk Harvey, in the appellate division of the supreme court, a bill in equity in behalf of the city of Newport and Pardon S. Kaull, against Jeremiah W. Horton, John H. Wetherell and Harwood E. Read, members of the commission, and Benjamin H. Richards, their appointee as chief of police.

The complainants' bill sets forth the election by the City Council of Pardon S. Kaull as chief of police and claims that he is entitled to hold the office until the expiration of a year from the time of his election or until his successor is appointed or until he is removed from office by the mayor; that the law under which the commissioners are acting, and have removed Kaull and appointed Richards as chief of police, and are conducting the management of the police affairs of the city of Newport, is "unconstitutional, invalid and null, because it throughout infringes the right of local self government, fundamental and historical in the state of Rhode Island, enjoyed and preserved from the settlement of its first four towns to the adoption of the constitution, which the constitution recognizes and on which it is built."

The bill prays that the law may be adjudged unconstitutional; that the appointments made under it may be adjudged invalid and void, that the police commissioners may be enjoined from exercising the functions of their office by virtue of the act and of any appointment thereunder, that Benjamin H. Richards may be ousted from the office of chief of police, and that Pardon S. Kaull may be adjudged rightfully entitled to the office of chief of police, its powers, resources, dignities and emoluments.

JAMESTOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

The second race this season arranged by the Conanicut Yacht Club took place this afternoon over the usual course. The entries were: First class—Gadfly, Lizzie. Second class—Thetis, Nassau, Spy, Oriole. Third class—Mist, Dewey, Tacius, Vesper, Edythe, Peggy.

Bids for the contract for running between Fort Greble and the West ferry were opened recently. There were but two bidders, Mr. Wager Briggs and Max Schade, the latter being the lower bidder, and no doubt the contract will be awarded to him.

The government has decided not to purchase steamer H. S. Caswell, and it is likely that one of the small steamers or yachts secured by the government during the war will be sent here for use at Fort Greble.

Services conducted by Rev. I. Emery, the pastor, will be held at the African Methodist Episcopal Church, on Cole street, tomorrow at 3 and 8:30 p. m.

The regular weekly hop was held last evening at the Bay View Hotel, with a good attendance. The Harry K. Howard orchestra of Newport furnished the music. This evening the Gardner house will give its weekly hop.

Mr. Thomas Duncan Whelen of Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. Reed Riley of Milledge, Ga., are registered at the Bay View Hotel.

Miss Austin, sister of Mrs. F. B. Rice, will return to Boston tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Catlin of St. Louis arrived today, and are guests of Mr. Ephron Catlin on Shoreby Hill.

Mrs. T. O. Selfridge will entertain this afternoon.

General Francis V. Greene's yacht arrived this morning, and later went up the bay.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Chester Walbridge of Germantown, Penn., arrived at their cottage this morning.

A. O'D. Taylor has sold for Mrs. Anna M. Johnson a lot of land on the westerly side of Calvert place, bounded northerly by land of J. H. Caswell, easterly by Calvert place, southerly by land of Mr. A. M. Wetherell and westerly by land of Shoreby Hill, containing about 15,000 square feet of land, to Jere I. Teffe.

Mrs. Campbell Bryer, Mrs. Henry Schroeder of New York, Captain John A. Bartlett, U. S. N., (retired), and Mrs. Bartlett of Providence, Mr. J. G. Baird and Mr. William E. Merrill of Boston, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Lee, Miss Mildred W. Lee, Mr. Charles S. Lee and Miss Florence F. Lee are registered at the Gardner House.

The Kearsarge returned from her trip outside for target practice yesterday afternoon, and this morning her upper works, which were white, were painted to correspond with the other ships of the squadron.

Lighthouse tender Cactus came in yesterday, and is now lying at anchor in the harbor.

ENGLISH POLO TEAM COMING TO AMERICA.

A special copyrighted cable despatch from London to the New York Herald says: It is practically assured that there will be another international polo match between England and America before the summer ends. Immediately after the American defeat at Hurlingham, a week ago, Foxhall Keene invited the visitors to cross the Atlantic to meet picked teams in the United States. He cabled over to the American Association, telling the members what he had done, and was authorized to enter into whatever arrangements he liked to induce a strong English team to make the trip.

Mr. Keene will leave England for New York today. Last night, in the course of conversation with a Daily Express representative, he said: "I wish you would say we American polo players are most anxious for a representative English team to visit America. It would be an expensive trip for them in the ordinary way, but we have offered to pay the expenses of the players and their ponies. They are sure to have a great time while among us.

"If they come, we are sure to play either one or three international contests, for which we would provide a cup like that at Hurlingham. These games would probably be decided on the Meadowbrook grounds, which, in my opinion, are the finest in the world, or in Prospect Park, where our championship matches are played. I hope they will come, for it would do the game a vast amount of good in our country."

The following will probably be the English team: A. Rawlinson, F. M. Freake, W. S. Buckmaster and the Hon. J. G. Beresford.

FOR THE NEWPORT RACING SERIES.

Two spar buoys for the coming series of races of the 70-footers for the Newport Yacht Racing Association prize have been prepared at the Newport shipyard and Monday morning they will be placed in position by steamer Sylvan Shore. One will be five miles south and the other 12 miles southeast of the lightship. They will be surmounted by flags and will remain in place during July and August, permission having been granted to set them by the lighthouse department.

AT THE NAVAL Y. M. C. A.

Mr. C. E. Price, assistant secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, who has been in charge of the naval branch, has gone to Cottage City on a two weeks' vacation, and Herbert E. Knight, who was in charge last year, will conduct the branch nightly from 7 to 12 and George P. Peckham will be in charge from 12 to 7. The naval branch is being well patronized by the sailors and marines from the vessels of the North Atlantic squadron, and within a week the largest number ever accommodated at the quarters, 129 in one night, took advantage of the accommodations offered. The branch will be kept open as long as the fleet remains in the harbor.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—The first Sunday night concert at the Casino is scheduled for tomorrow.

—Mr. George Pollock will give a dinner at the Casino grillroom tonight.

—Mr. John Kiley of Providence gave a dinner in honor of eight guests at The Aquidneck today.

—Dust complaints from all sections of the city, particularly on Bellevue avenue, were heard today.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chapman of New York are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sedgwick at "The Poplars."

—Mrs. C. H. Baldwin will entertain are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sedgwick. New York is again visiting Mrs. Baldwin.

—Hon. Perry Belmont has been elected a member of the campaign committee of the Democratic state committee in New York.

—The lad arrested last evening at Freebody Park pleaded not guilty this morning and was released until Tuesday and placed in the custody of the probation officer.

—Mr. C. L. Fair of San Francisco is here to visit his sisters, Mrs. Herman Oelrichs and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr. This is Mr. Fair's first visit to Newport for many years.

—Mr. G. R. Agassiz, who has been visiting his father, Professor Alexander Agassiz, returned to his home at Santa Barbara, Cal., today. He was a guest on board the Yankee yesterday.

—The members of William A. Streeter Relief Corps of Attleboro will visit Newport next Tuesday evening, to witness an exemplification of the corps ritual by Charles E. Lawton Relief Corps.

—Major J. C. Muhlenberg, U. S. A., of the pay department, and his secretary, Mr. H. S. Hostetter, Jr., arrived at The Aquidneck today and later visited Fort Adams in order to pay the troops.

—At the annual convention of the Providence District Epworth League, held at Phenix recently, Mrs. Lauta Wilson Smith, wife of Rev. C. H. Smith of this city, was elected third vice president.

—Freight steamer Nashua arrived from Stonington this morning, loaded with coal from the big pile which the company wants to move from Long wharf, and proceeded to Providence, where she will go on the line.

—A. O'D. Taylor has rented for the remainder of the summer season, for the heirs of the late Bridget Abraham, the store No. 5 Abraham's block, corner of William street and Bellevue avenue, to Jennings & Co. of New York.

—Mrs. M. L. Blake of Waynsboro, N. C., was found dead in her stateroom on steamer Priscilla, at Fall River this morning. She and her two-year-old child were traveling to Raynham, Mass. Death was due to natural causes.

—Today, while playing about a boat at Commercial wharf, Master B. Shanahan fell overboard. There were too many amateur sailors around to make the incident much more dangerous than a heavy rain storm. He had his clothes thoroughly wet.

—Among the passengers on steamship St. Paul, which arrived at New York today, are Mrs. William Astor, Mr. James J. Van Alen, the Misses Van Alen, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Mills and Mrs. Adolf Ladenburg.

—Dellbois & Eldridge have rented for T. A. Lawton and others store No. 181 Bellevue avenue to Miss M. A. Smyth of New York, and store No. 115 to the Mobile Company of America. Both these stores are in the Clifton House block, so called, on the westerly side of the avenue.

—Dr. Edgar Garceau and Edward Halnick of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, S. C. Doty, Miss Doty, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Blair and Frederick W. Moss of New York; Miss M. F. Smith of Philadelphia, Colonel and Mrs. E. P. Holmes, Miss Z. Grace Emery, and C. W. Holmes of New York and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Williams of Detroit are at The New Cliffs Hotel.

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GUESTS ESCAPED IN SAFETY.

Leonia House, New Hampshire Summer Hotel, Burned.

HAMPTON, N. H., July 14.—The Leonia House, a modern and well-equipped summer hotel, was destroyed by fire this morning, together with part of the furniture. Quite a number of guests occupied apartments in the house at the time, but all escaped in safety, most of them being able to save their effects.

The origin of the fire is unknown. The blaze apparently started in the rear portion of the structure, which was of wood, and in a short space of time the hotel was in ashes. The building contained 60 rooms, and had been recently fitted with modern conveniences at considerable expense. Guests were arriving daily for the summer season, and a good business for the season seemed assured. The property was owned and managed by F. M. Crosby of Boston. The direct financial loss is estimated at $91,000. The insurance amounts to $20,000 in New Hampshire companies.

SCHREINER REASONABLE.

Refuses to Support a Demand for Unimpaired Independence.

CAPE TOWN, July 14.—Replying to a deputation of his constituents today, Mr. W. P. Schreiner, former premier of Cape Colony, refused to support the demand for unimpaired independence of the Boer republics, but said he thought they should retain a certain amount of independence. He added that he would not support a policy of amnesty to the rebels.

Herr Grobler, foreign secretary to the Transvaal, has arrived at Delagoa bay.

TAKING TRICKS.

Progress of the Play at the American Whist League Meet.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., July 14.—Twenty-eight clubs are participating in the contest for the Minneapolis trophy in the games of the American Whist League, the eight clubs having the highest score to play the grand final today.

In the sixth round for the Hamilton trophy, Herlick won from Knickerbocker by eight tricks, Minneapolis from St. Paul by 15 tricks, Chicago Whist Club from Cincinnati by nine tricks, Hyde Park from Columbus by one trick and Hamilton from Newton by one trick.

In the fourth round for the American Whist League trophy American won from Knickerbocker by 20 tricks, Hamilton tied Detroit, and Baltimore tied Acacia, Buffalo.

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE.

Ten Thousand People at the International Assembly in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, July 14.—The attendance at the third day's session of the International Assembly of the Baptist Young People's Union was estimated at 10,000. While Music hall was packed, others were meeting in sections. Dr. H. M. Wharton of Philadelphia led the devotional hour with an address on "Personal Work."

After the reports of committees addresses were delivered by Hon. B. F. Danviddie of Janesville, Wis., Dr. T. G. Johnson of Charleston, W. Va., and Dr. S. Y. Jameson of Atlanta, the latter describing some phases of mission work in the South.

In discussing "The Student Volunteer Movement," Frank W. Sweet of St. Paris, Ohio, spoke of "Its Origin," Rev. Albert Elygott of Springfield, Ohio, of "Its Marvelous Development," and Charles Tenny of Rochester, N. Y., of "Its Significance." The afternoon was devoted to junior exercises.

AS A RESULT OF DROUTH.

Famine-Stricken Pima Indians Suffering Severely.

PHOENIX, Ariz., July 14.—The prolonged drouth, probably unprecedented in the history of this portion of Arizona, has greatly augmented the sufferings of the famine-stricken Pima Indians on the Sacaton reservation. Members of the tribe have told Superintendent Cowan of the Indian school that their cattle are dying from starvation and thirst. Most of the Indians now depend for food on the few who still have provisions, and the supply cannot last long. They are emaciated and suffering, and unless the $30,000 Congressional appropriation can be used at once private subscriptions or similar relief measures must be taken.

BOOKKEEPER BADLY BURNED.

Explosion of Gas in the Vault of a Rockville Bank.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., July 14.—William J. Austin, bookkeeper at the Rockville Savings Bank of Rockville, Conn., was seriously injured at the bank by an explosion of gas in the vault yesterday, says a special despatch to the Republican today. As soon as he opened the vault he discovered that it was filled with gas. He left the door open, and opened the windows of the banking rooms to let the gas out.

About 20 minutes later he thought he would ascertain where the leak was. He lighted a match, and as he held it under the gas jet the gas exploded. Mr. Austin was thrown back a number of feet, and his hair, face and neck were badly burned. A number of slaters at work on the roof were not long in getting off the building, as they thought the building was falling. The force of the explosion blew out a window on the side. The fire also scorched some of the papers inside the vault.

PROBABLY INSANE.

Captain Healy of Revenue Cutter McCulloch Attempts Suicide.

POINT TOWNSEND, Washn., July 14.—United States revenue cutter McCulloch has arrived, eight days from Dutch Harbor. For several days before leaving Dutch Harbor Captain Healy's actions were such as to create suspicion among the officers and crew, and as a result a close watch was kept on him. The first day after sailing the captain came on deck, and after giving some orders relative to handling the ship made an attempt to leap overboard into the sea, but before he reached the ra was seized by the crew and taken to his cabin, where a guard was placed over him.

During the night he secured a medicine bottle, unobserved by the guard, and breaking it used a piece of the glass in severing a blood vessel in his left arm. Before much blood was lost the guard discovered the wound, which he bound with a handkerchief, and called for assistance. There being no surgeon on board, Lieutenant Thompson dressed the wound, and upon arrival here Captain Healy was taken to the Marine hospital and put in a straight jacket, where he will be retained until the department can be communicated with.

Lieutenant Thompson, who assumed command of the McCulloch and brought her to this port, reports a prospective coal famine at Dutch Harbor.

The McCulloch picked up steamer Nome City, 225 miles west of Cape Flattery, and towed her to this port, she having lost three blades off her propeller. The Nome City had 20 passengers.

Steamer Farallon arrived from Nome, bringing about 40 miners. They say that 1,000 to 1,200 men are on the beach begging for work for their board. They confirm the reports of the prevalence of small pox.

Death of Senator Gear of Iowa.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—United States Senator Gear of Iowa died at his apartments in the Portland at 4:28 this morning, of heart failure. He was in his usual health up to 2:30 a. m., when he was attacked. Doctors were immediately summoned but could do nothing for him.

Fall River Mills to Close Next Week.

FALL RIVER, Mass., July 14.—The following mills in this city will close next week in pursuance of the curtailment policy agreed upon by the manufacturers. Merchants, Crescents, Sagamore, Stafford, Laurel Lake and Union.

SPECIAL BOARD OF ALDERMEN MEETING.

The board of aldermen held a special meeting at 3 o'clock this afternoon to act upon an application for a plumber's license from Charles B. Duckworth, a stranger in town, who had taken a contract for a job on a summer residence and not having the necessary license was stopped because of action taken by the master plumbers of the city. This organization claimed that the place of business given in the application was the residence on which work was being done and was not according to the requirements of the law. They also said that he had broken the law by doing half the work without license. There they were informed that the local plumbers were not living up to the law. The board of aldermen declined to grant the license.

HESTER SIGHTED OFF HALIFAX.

A despatch from Halifax, Nova Scotia, says: Sloop yachts Hester and Gloria, from the Clyde, were passed outside the harbor at 10:30 this morning by steamer Halifax, and will arrive this afternoon. The Hester was 18 days out, and her owner, Rear Commodore C. L. F. Robinson of the New York Yacht Club, has been anxious as to her safety. Captain Howell of Port Jefferson, N. Y., representing the owner, has been here four weeks, awaiting the yacht's arrival and will proceed with her to New York. Steamer Lunen spoke the Hester last week and supplied the crew of the yacht with provisions, the sailors having been without food for three days.

The Gloria, which started from the Clyde with the Hester, reached St. Johns, Newfoundland, last week. She started for Halifax nine days ago, so that the anxiety felt for the Hester extended to the Gloria. The news that both were safe caused great relief.

The Hester was purchased by Rear Commodore Robinson last May. She was designed by Fife and was built by Hansen & Sons, at Cowes in 1895.

MRS. HONE TO GO ON THE STAGE.

Mrs. Josephine Hoey Hone, widow of Mr. Charles R. Hone, who is well-known in Newport, where for many years she had apartments at the Ocean House, will make her debut as a professional actress in New York next winter. Mrs. Hone's mother, who before her marriage to John Hoey was Mrs. William Russell, was one of the most brilliant actresses of her day and became famous as the leading lady in Burton's old Theatre, in Chambers street, New York. Mrs. Hone, before her marriage, frequently appeared in amateur theatricals.

COTTON MANUFACTURING IN THE SOUTH.

Of the three natural staples on which the United States relies for her chief wealth, cotton has been bringing its producers the smallest monetary returns in proportion to the ultimate value of the product. This has not been a normal situation, nor one in which any section of the country whose interests in every part are a unit could take unqualified satisfaction. Rather it has been among the industrial problems that have fretted large minded statesmen North, East and West, as well as South; for in every land questions of state are daily becoming more entirely questions of economics.

But the solution of the difficulty appears clear at last. Let the South do with her staple what France does with the product of her silkworms, or Ireland with her flax—that is, get the utmost possible value out of it before letting it go. The cotton-growing belt seems to have waked up to the fact that its only salvation lies in becoming the cotton manufacturing section as well. It required almost the space of a generation for us of the South Atlantic and Gulf states to arouse and fully grasp the truth that an added agriculture, with an all-cotton policy, was leaving us poorer and poorer each year; that, while the cost of raising the staple had been greatly advanced, under our altered and still unsettled system of labor, and with thousands of acres of exhausted land an incubus on our hands, yet the status of the world's markets was such that, by their manipulation, the cotton-grower could be forced to sell his crops at unreasonably low figures, while on the other hand, foreign manufacturers could compel him to pay fictitious prices for the fabrics made from his own raw material.—Deanora Beck Ellis, in American Monthly Review of Reviews.

A GREEN ROOM.

[New York Post.]

A beautiful green room of a summer cottage has been produced with green wood work in one of those rest ful sage-green tints, the walls papered in a plain cartridge paper, with a frieze of stray vines, all in different shades of the same cool color. The wicker furniture is finished in a forest green stain and the carpet is covered with a green and whitering of fine jute fiber matting. Sheer white mull curtains hang at the windows with straight falling draperies of liberty silk of the same color over them. A white porcelain bedroom candlestick four feet high stands at the head of the bed. It is a straight column resting on a square block base, the fluted finish outlined in green. It holds a large green wax candle, at the side of which is a little holder for a box of matches. Other fittings of the room carry out the green and white scheme, and as the apartment faces the south, the effect has been to temper its high light and contribute a restfully subdued tone.

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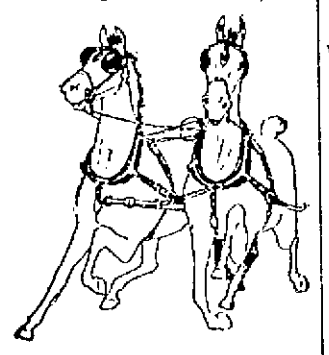
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AGAIN IN GLOOM.

England Dismayed by News from Abroad.

Royal Garden Party the Most Brilliant of the Reign.

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LONDON, July 14.--The most brilliant garden party of Queen Victoria's reign has proved quite ineffectual to dispel the anxiety and gloom hanging over Great Britain. The escape from Kumassi of Sir Frederic Mitchell Hodgson, governor of the Gold Coast Colony, and his wife and party, and the safety of the majority of those who so long were in danger of massacre at the hands of the Ashantis created a momentary feeling of thankfulness and jubilation. But this was quickly dissipated by the news of the disaster at Nitral's nek and the gravity of the news from China. A week that opened with high hopes from all quarters of the globe where Great Britain's interests are imperilled ends with none of those hopes realized, except as regards Ashanti, and even there an English garrison still awaits relief. In South Africa the nation was prepared for, though it did not really anticipate, guerrilla warfare, but repeated disasters such as that of Nitral's nek create dismay. It is no exaggeration to say that the country is unanimous in desiring the end of the long-drawn-out struggle. The signs, however, do not point to a speedy realization of that desire, and, therefore, it is small wonder that the government has practically decided to put off the election until 1901.

While the royal garden party failed in its purpose, it was a wonderful affair. Peers and peeresses, generals and Indian rajahs, princes and princesses, leading statesmen, heads of professions and church dignitaries intermingled gaily, forming a dazzling mass of color against the green background of the Buckingham Palace lawns. After chatting with a few guests the queen drove out through double lines of visitors probably as distinguished as were ever formed in England. Cabinet ministers, ambassadors, actors, princes, doctors and lawyers stood bareheaded till the sovereign was out of the grounds.

Apart from the garden party, the talk of the week in society has been the Astor-Milne affair. Mr. Astor's departure for Marienbad created no end of comment, but there seems to be no reason to believe it was in any way due to this circumstance. "Mr. William Waldorf Astor," says Vanity Fair, "is at Marienbad and Marienbad is quieter than London," adding that "most people support the sailoonin." Mr. Astor's last dinner party in London was attended by 40 people, but the host was unable to appear, owing to an attack of sciatica.

The Prince of Wales will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William George Cavendish Bentinck, at High Cliffe Castle, at the end of the week. Mrs. Bentinck was formerly Miss Elizabeth Livingston of Staatsburg, N. Y.

Mr. Foxhall Keene's reappearance in the ranks of gentlemen riders has created interest in England. His victory in the race for the Andover stakes, on Senopi, caused the Daily Mail to say: "He should prove a welcome acquisition to the ranks of amateur riders. He has a nice style, though his seat, perhaps, is too upright for modern ideas. Still, he gets there all the same."

The departure of American hospital ship Maine for China meets with warm approval both from official and unofficial England. The way this decision was arrived at is a happy illustration of the energy of the American women on the committee. The matter was proposed only Saturday last, and between that date and Wednesday everything was settled and the ship was refitted and sailed. The Maine will take care of Americans and British only, as Germany and the other nations are also sending hospital ships.

The difficulties which stood in the way of Lady Randolph Churchill's wedding now seem to have been overcome and the event is fixed for July 28. It will be attended by the Cornwallis West family and Winston Churchill, who has started from South Africa for England, and will be a quiet affair. The wedding breakfast will be served at the Mordan Frewen's residence. With the announcement of the wedding, the departure of the Maine for China, the appearance of volume 5 of her Anglo Saxon Review and her garden party at Normal College for the Blind Thursday, Lady Randolph Churchill was very much to the fore this week.

The London [illegible] council has adopted a resolution formally repudiating the convention of English-speaking democracies called by the council of Ruskin Hall, in the interests of which labor delegates are now in the United States. The council refers to the so-called Anglo-Saxon alliance as "that jingo question." When the delegates return they will have a good many questions to answer.

The annual mobilization of the British navy preparatory to the manoeuvres passed off without incident. Judging from the manoeuvre plans issued by the admiralty, little more will be learned of this year's operations than was learned from the fiasco of last year. One of the main objects is to decide on a suitable distance to establish a temporary base for a squadron blockading hostile ports, and to thrash out the old question of the ability of cruisers to sweep off and drive into harbors the enemy's torpedo craft.

The meeting of the National Rifle Association at Bisley is attracting small attention. Quite the most remarkable competitor is young Hyde, who is shooting for Rugby in the public schools contest. He is just one inch taller than his rifle, yet he holds it steadily, shoots rapidly and scores wonderfully well.

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

--Mr. and Mrs. Elwell of New York are at Bateman's.

--Mr. Witherspoon of New York is guest of Dr. Austin Flint.

--Mr. James DeWolfe Cutting of New York is visiting at "Crossways."

--Mr. George Appleton of New York is guest of Mr. H. Payne Whitney.

--Miss Isabel Wilbur entertained at her home on Broadway last evening.

--Miss Virginia Cott of Bridgeport, Conn., is here to visit Mrs. Louis P. Roberts.

--Mr. H. C. Falmestock of New York is here to visit his brother, Mr. Gibson Falmestock.

--Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Tams of New York are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr.

--Captain G. A. Converse, U. S. N., is in town. He will lecture at the Naval War College during the summer.

--Mrs. E. L. Rogers, Miss E. M. Rogers and Miss Clara Livingstone of Northampton, Mass., are at the Stevens villa.

--Miss Emory, daughter of Commander W. H. Emory, U. S. N., is guest of Mrs. Thomas Hitchcock at the Chanler villa.

--Several new additions have been made to the already miscellaneous assortment of street musicians who hold forth near Thames street in the evening.

--Work on the new officers' quarters and barracks at Fort Greble will begin Monday, according to the contractor. Some work has already been done on the officers' quarters.

--Battleship Kearsarge returned yesterday from her practice work outside. She was the only craft that did not appear to mind the waves even a little bit, as she steamed to her anchorage.

--C. C. Stone, J. M. Henderson, J. A. Segall, Louis Robson and W. F. Perry of New York, J. L. Sullivan of Worcester and W. P. Goodrich of Laconia, N. H., are registered at the Perry House.

Mr. Lester W. Boardman, A. B., who has been pursuing a special course of studies in Chicago University the past year, is spending the summer vacation at his home, 26 Spring street.

The chapter of the Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip at the United Congregational Church will go into camp at Pettaquamscott Lodge Monday. There will be 14 in the party, including Rev. T. C. McClelland, and they will remain a week.

Word has been received here of the death in Chicago Wednesday night, after a short illness, of Lawrence, son of Edward Hammond of Chicago and grandson of Mr. Albert Hammond of this city. He was about 19 years old and a young man of much promise.

Captain Connolly has the contract for hauling four of the old casemate guns from Fort Adams to the freight depot. Two have already been shipped to Sandusky, Ohio, and two more are going to Springfield, Ill., to be used for ornamental purposes, by the state government.

Naval tug Wompatuck arrived at the Torpedo Station last night with supplies, having left the New York navy yard at 10 o'clock Friday morning and made the run in 13 hours. Gunner Connolly and the crew from the Naval Training Station, which took the Fortune to New York, returned on the Wompatuck.

--The annual election of the Newport Casino corporation will take place next month. The four governors whose terms expire are Messrs. Henry A. C. Taylor, George Peabody Wetmore, George L. Rives and Nathaniel Thayer. It is expected that Mr. Wetmore will be elected president in place of the late Cornelius Vanderbilt.

At the semi-annual meeting of the Bristol and Warren Water Works Company, held in Warren this week, George H. Norman, Jr., was elected president and George Norman Weaver treasurer. Messrs. Norman and Weaver and Mr. Bradford Norman were elected members of the board of directors.

--Bristol Council, No. 379, Knights of Columbus, has arranged to run an excursion to Rocky Point and Newport on steamer Corsair Sunday, July 22.

--The work of tearing up the cracked granolithic sidewalk on Broadway and laying new started on the east end, where last fall's work ended, and is coming toward the new city hall, slowly. A very considerable portion of the land from the Greene place to Newport avenue is higher than the sidewalk, and in consequence very much of the walk is cracked in the centre. The walk laid this year and the new one now going in is laid with a joint in the middle, to prevent cracking.

P. L. Perkins of Portland, Mrs. A. A. Rathbun of Providence and H. O. Rathbun and W. C. Wright of Utica, N. Y., are registered at The Aquidneck.

Dinners were given last night by Mrs. Edwin Parsons, Mrs. G. H. Warren, Mrs. C. L. F. Robinson, Mrs. Elisha Dyer, Jr., Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer, Mrs. H. P. Whitney and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr. Commodore Lewis Cass Ledyard entertained at dinner on board flagship Cincinnati last night, and Mrs. J. A. Swan gave a ladies' luncheon at the Golf Club yesterday afternoon.

AT THE NEW CITY HALL.

The carpenters and painters are at work on the interior of the new city hall, but there does not appear so far to be any rush. Nothing has been done in the aldermanic chamber, as the work awaits the arrival of iron for the gallery. Otherwise the wood finish down to the floor of the third story is complete and plain is a very mild term to use when speaking of its appearance. Work is proceeding on the first and second floors also.

QUEER PLACES TO ROOST.

Birds Often Seen Perched Upon the Backs of Animals.

[Professor Charles F. Baker.]

In Africa, especially in the great swamps, certain birds employ a variety of animals as roosts. A small white heron has a special penchant for the rhinoceros, often being seen sitting on its back, its pure white body in sharp contrast to the black and mud-colored living roost. The great water buffalo is sometimes fairly covered with the birds popularly known as ox-pickers, which run over his body, hanging in clusters about the patient animal, and rise above it in clouds and flocks, attacking vociferous cries when the roost, perchance to relieve itself from the noisy throng, rolls in the deep mud of the swamp.

The camel is used by several birds as a roost, and undoubtedly all of them repay the animals by destroying the various parasites which infest them. During the past winter, in riding across country in Southern California, I came upon a flock of sheep grazing on a little mesa. Many of the sheep carried about on their backs from one to three or four blackbirds, which perched there apparently perfectly contented.

On another occasion, in the same country, I saw pigs serving as roosts, instead of sheep. Nearly every black pig was mounted by one or two blackbirds. Some stood on the head, another clung to an ear, while in another instance four blackbirds perched upon the back of a pig, all noisily talking or singing in their peculiar language.

A traveler in North America has described a remarkable instance of this singular association. Lying in the bush, watching for large game, he saw approaching a flock of storks, which moved slowly on, with deliberate gait, feeding as they came. When they reached him, passing not 20 feet away, to his astonishment he saw that each stork bore upon its back one or two small birds, which occasionally flew to the ground to pick up a grasshopper, but invariably returned to their strange walking roost.

Darwin witnessed a singular and interesting illustration of this phase of animal life in the Gallapagos islands. At that time the large tortoises peculiar to the place were very common, and to be found everywhere lumbering along over the trails they had made. Meeting one, Darwin saw that it carried upon its back several birds which were so tame that they made no effort to fly away. Whether they were merely taking a ride or had alighted on the animal as it sat still it was difficult to determine.

Darwin also observed a lizard here which swam out into the water to feed, and was perfectly at home there. As it made its way through the kelp beds the gulls often alighted on its head and back, a proceeding which apparently did not trouble the lizard in the least.

If we go down to the sea we shall find many quaint illustrations of this custom. Thus the fish remora literally rides about upon a variety of fishes, especially sharks, which frequently have from one to six or seven remoras clinging to them, and which refuse to leave their consort when taken. I have seen them attached to large fishes, as the sunfish, and to turtles.

Certain sea anemones are invariably found literally roosting upon the back of crabs. One dredged off the New England coast was a light giver, or phosphorescent, so the crab was forced to carry about what was to all intents and purposes a lighthouse.

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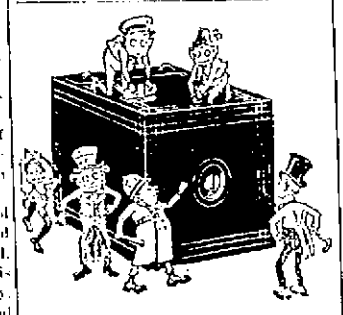

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VOLUNTEER LIFE SAVERS.

After many months of waiting the though they had a rescue last night. There were two men in a boat; then there was some water in the boat and two men in the harbor. One hung to the boat and the other did not. When the life saving service got this last man, Alger Fournier, to Gladding's shop he looked so bad that some one telephoned for a doctor, but before he reached the scene the rescued man had been taken to the Police Station, where it was found that he was not in a serious condition. Fournier was sent home in the ambulance.

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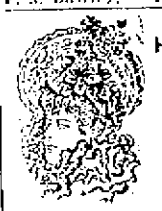

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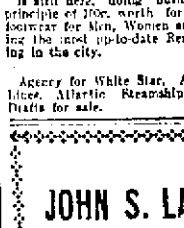

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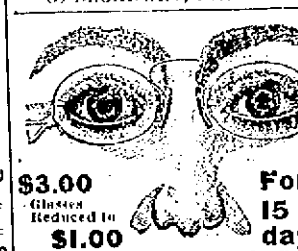

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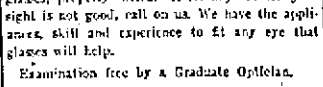

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Prov. ar.	8:50	11:50	3:15	5:50	8:50		
Boston, ar.	10:15		4:50	7:00	11:00		
New York, ar.	4:38	4:00	6:58	11:00	11		6:55

LEAVE	Night	A M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M
New York,	*12:02		5:00	10:40	1:40	11:32	5:00
Boston,	12:01	6:12	10:05	1:02	3:00		7:00
Providence,	1:26	8:02	11:11	2:16	4:15		8:27
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REVOLUTION INCIDENT TO REFORM.

Testimony of Missionaries as to the Trouble in China.

[Boston Transcript.]

"To my mind the missionaries in China are no more to blame for the present trouble there than is cheap American flour," said Rev. Charles H. Daniels, secretary of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, when asked his opinion of the cause of the Chinese uprising. "The Chinese farmers are no different from our own tillers of the soil in the West. When they find that the Americans are sending flour to China and selling it there cheaper than the natives can raise rice they naturally object, just as the people of the Western states would if the Chinese were selling wheat in the United States at lower prices than they themselves could produce it. A few good crops would undoubtedly do much to bring an end to the revolution.

"The missionaries may be partially at fault, but they are certainly no more so than the tradesmen. They were attacked first because they were the most exposed, many of them being in places far removed from the bulk of Christian inhabitants. The missionaries have always tried to act in accordance with the Chinese laws and customs, and have been treated courteously by the authorities. In some cases, owing to superstitions on the part of the natives, it has been necessary for the missionaries to suspend building on certain sites, but in such cases the government has always provided other sites equally as good."

In regard to the best way of settling the Chinese question, Mr. Daniels said: "The American board, I think, is quite in harmony with the United States government in the position which has been taken against the breaking up of the empire. We favor the open-door policy. My theory concerning this outbreak is that it is simply an incident to the reform movement which was started by the emperor some years ago. All great reforms in history have been accompanied by revolts, but, nevertheless, they do not stop. The very fact that there is a revolt is proof that reform is making headway; for, if the natives, or rather the leaders, were not afraid of a change, they would remain peaceful and defiant.

"One of our missionaries sent us an order for 150 books, including the Bible and many commentaries, and those books went into the imperial household. Of course we do not know that they were read by the emperor; but they probably would never have entered the household without his consent. At present it is the business of the powers to create order. After that many things will be explained and there will be new conditions to face."

Edmund F. Merriam, editorial secretary of the American Baptist Missionary Union, agrees with Mr. Daniels that economic as well as religious forces have caused the uprising in China, and also that civilization is to be advanced best by keeping the Chinese empire intact. Speaking of the situation recently, he said: "The trouble is due primarily to the general aversion to foreign ideas which has existed in China throughout all history. It has recently been aggravated by the inroads of foreign commerce and missions, particularly by those missions which enter into the temporal as well as the religious affairs of their converts. Some of these missionaries take the part of their converts before the courts, and if the case is decided against them appeal to foreign powers, by which influence the decrees of the local courts are overruled. The natives finding themselves thus defeated naturally become hostile to the missionaries. Then, too, in some parts of China the introduction of American and English cotton has quite supplanted the local weavers, and they are, therefore, hostile.

"One great cause in exciting hostility is the carelessness of foreigners in violating the superstitions, which are thoroughly believed in by every native of China. Especially are the natives superstitious in regard to land. They believe that land, water and fire are inhabited by spirits, and that any changes disturb and excite the hostility of the spirits, which, in their anger, do harm to the people by floods, fires, disease and other kinds of disasters. The erection of steeples upon Catholic cathedrals is thought to disturb the spirits of the air, and the digging in the earth for iron and coal is believed to disturb the spirits of the earth. Moreover, China is densely populated and thickly strewn with graveyards, which take up much of the territory just outside the large cities. The natives have a great respect for their dead, and believe firmly that railroads and similar improvements disturb the spirits of their ancestors. The effect of this superstition is clearly shown upon the railroad leading to Pekin."

In regard to the outcome of the present trouble, Mr. Merriam said: "My impression is that China will not be partitioned to any extent. It is the oldest nation with a stable government in the world, and is the only nation mentioned in the Old Testament which has come down to the present time with the same government that it had in ancient times. This proves that there is great conservative force in the Chinese. They are clannish and it is not reasonable to suppose that forces, which have been in operation for centuries, will cease to operate at once.

"My opinion is that if it should become possible for foreign forces to restore the young emperor, Kwangsu, to the throne, and surround him with suitable advisers, peace in the Chinese empire would be brought about more quickly than in any other way. All the central and southern provinces are loyal to him. The viceroys of the provinces in the Yang Tse valley have refused to join the movement in Pekin and have pledged themselves to restore peace. In fact, at least 15 of the 18 provinces in China could be counted upon to follow the lead of the young emperor. The present troubles have involved only two provinces and a part of a third."

As an evidence of the peaceful condition of southern China, Mr. Merriam said that he had received a letter written about the last of May by a missionary, which said that the natives there are at present more open to the gospel than ever before. He said that only a day or two ago he had received a telegram from Rev. John M. Foster of Waterville, Me., who is at present in Canton, in the south of China, saying that all were safe.

An amusing mare's nest has been discovered by the literary editor of one of the leading New York evening papers, who in a review of "The Reign of Law" consists of a calculation that the hero has been made to purchase one of Darwin's famous books two years before it was published. To judge by its reception, "The Reign of Law" is being read as a story rather than as a record of publishing dates. Mr. Allen's readers evidently find life too short and his story too interesting to make it worth while to heed such "rumbles of a distant drum."

CHINA'S NAVY.

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navy have been undermanned, but there are water-bred and seafaring natives enough to man any number of Chinese fighting ships. In physique the native sailorman is a fine man, and of his endurance the whole world knows. In the battle of the Yalu the Chinaman proved in many instances the steiner stuff in him, and that baptism of fire has done a vast deal to strengthen the fighting spirit of the present Chinese army. Mentally he is a fatalist, and the prospect of death does not phase him if he be properly led, and there are plenty of his own countrymen and men of other nations only too ready to lead him if occasion require.

It is not generally known that the Chinese have their own naval schools—two, in fact—and that they are no longer dependent upon foreigners for their engineer and executive officers.

The sum granted yearly from the imperial exchequer for the whole of this work is 42,000 Tsinoping taels, approximately $30,000. Each student costs the government to house, feed, clothe, provide with books and instruments, and even liberal pocket money from a Chinese point of view, $250 a year, or $1,500 to turn out an efficient executive or engineer officer, pledged to government service for life.

Everything is done in the English language, and no better proof of the work done by the student can be had than the testimony of a British naval attache: "I have been very much interested in examining the students' papers. I consider them exceedingly well done. They are wonderfully good with regard to style, neatness and cleanness, as well as regard to correctness of answers. Papers worked by our own students would not be generally better done."

The present Chinese minister to England, Lo-Fun-Luh, is a graduate of the now abandoned Foochow Naval College; and the commissioner of the Tien Tsin Naval College today, Taotai Yen-Foo, completed his studies in England, and was the first man of his year at Greenwich.

The students, like those at Tien Tsin, are sons of gentlemen, and are admitted from 16 to 20 years of age.

In addition to the regular naval force, there are a dozen pretty heavily armed river gunboats that have done revenue service. These vessels range in speed from seven to 12 knots, have been built since 1886 and would prove invaluable adjuncts to the Chinese army when working in the sluggish reaches of the rivers beyond the approach of the heavier foreign vessels of the gunboat type. There are several transports—vessels from 1,200 to 4,000 tons—which could be made considerable factors of naval force, while the war junks which have filled many of the southern rivers would easily afford disciplined complements for the modern fighting craft of the navy.

It must not be forgotten that piracy has been a daily calling with thousands of the coast-born Chinese for hundreds of years, and men with that undercurrent of desperation can be found in plenty to do the bid of reckless leaders of torpedo boat "destroyers" and the like in the pursuit of a guerrilla warfare.

Of trained military force, as we understand the modern application of the term, it is not likely that China can boast at present of more than 60,000 or 70,000 men; but of military retainers or untrained rookies there are in reserve quite 300,000 or 400,000.

Of the trained troops, the bulk of whom are armed with a Mauser pattern repeating rifle, most of which have been made right in the Chinese arsenals, our military and naval attaches speak in very complimentary terms. The men are a fine lot physically, well set up and very snappy in their movements in drill. Their discipline is excellent and they hesitate at the performance of no manoeuvre, no matter how novel. The cavalry proper and the irregular cavalry are also a fine body of men, and, mounted on their sturdy native ponies, they go through their evolutions with the same quick, elastic movement characteristic of the other trained troops that have felt the influence of European teaching either directly or indirectly.

The artillery equipped with a large number of typically up-to-date ordnance, are capable of very effective work, and the same active spirit prevails there as with the two other arms of the service. It is in transportation and organized commissariat that the Chinese army is weak, but with the vast numbers of available coolies the difficulty of efficient transport can be remedied to a large extent.

The provincial independence of each division of the Chinese military forces is the source of its greatest weakness, as was proved in the war with Japan, but the lessons of that unsuccessful struggle have been taken to heart and to some extent the error has been corrected.

In equipment the troops that have not been trained in accordance with European methods are armed with a very heterogeneous lot of fighting tools, among which the ancient and ineffective gingal takes a prominent part. The gingal is a weapon some nine or 10 feet in length, weighing between 40 and 50 pounds. Three men are required to work it, and, when ready to be fired, two rest it upon their shoulders while the third fires to point it and to fire. The terror of such an arm is more one of imagination than performance, and the mobility of troops armed with such a burden is sure to be seriously handicapped.

Of arsenals China has seven. One at Tien Tsin, one at Shanghai, one at Nankin, one at Hankow, one at Foochow, one at Canton and one at Ching-tu. While the really fine mechanical equipments of these stations are largely occupied in turning out useless gingals and some other obsolete guns of more modern pattern, still a very considerable share of work is given over to manufacturing ordnance and small arms of a thoroughly up-to-date type, including fine repeating rifles, heavy navy and coast defense guns, and siege and field pieces of recent design. The workmanship, in most cases, is of a very superior order, and the machinery in the shops is of the best British and German make, while the superintendents or foremen are generally technically trained foreigners or Chinese similarly educated abroad.

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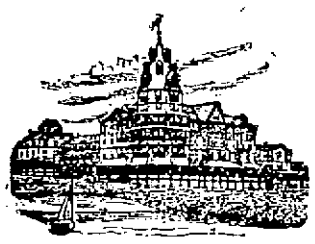

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NEW YORK, July 14, Wall Street—The stock market opened steady, with American Steel & Wire at 52, Atchison preferred 69¾, Burlington 124¾, Brooklyn Transit 58½, Federal Steel 32, Louisville 72⅞, Missouri Pacific 51½, New York Central 129, Northern Pacific 69¾, People's Gas 98, Rock Island 109¾, St. Paul 110¾, Sugar 118, Union Pacific 55, and Union Pacific preferred 74¾.

It was difficult to discern the tendency of the opening stock market, owing to the small number of transactions and the narrowness of the fluctuations. There was no change in excess of a quarter in any important stock.

Interest was so narrow that any attempt to move prices caused sharp changes without exchanging much stock. In Sugar a decline of a point was effected with little difficulty, while American Tobacco gained a similar amount with as much ease. Railroad stocks did not vary to any extent either way.

Closing: Money on call, nominal; prime mercantile paper, 5⅞ @ 6½ per cent; sterling exchange, firm, at $4.86¼ @ ⅞ for demand and at $4.84¼ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.86 and $4.87½ @ $4.88; commercial bills, $4.83¾ @ ½; bar silver, 61⅝; silver certificates, 61¼ @ 62½; Mexican dollars, 48¼; government bonds, steady. The market drifted downward a fraction, and then rallied in spots on the bank statement. Dealings were so small as to have no significance. The closing was intensely dull and irregular at small net changes.

NEW YORK, July 14.

	Closing.
Atchison	25½
Atchison preferred	68⅞
Canada Southern	48
Chi., Burl. & Quincy	121
C., C., C. & St. Louis	58
Delaware & Hudson	111½
Del., Lack. & Western	176
Erie	16⅝
Illinois Central	117½
Lake Shore	210
Louisville & Nashville	72¼
Manhattan	87⅞
Metropolitan Traction	150¾
Missouri Pacific	51
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	10⅛
New Jersey Central	127½
New York Central	129½
Northern Pacific	69¼
Northern Pacific preferred	70½
Northwestern	158
Ontario & Western	19¾
Oregon Navigation	42
Reading	17
Rock Island	109
St. Paul	110½
St. Paul preferred, offered	171
Southern Pacific	32⅝
Texas & Pacific	11½
Union Pacific	55¾
Union Pacific preferred	74
Wabash	6⅞
Wheeling & Lake Erie	8⅞
Adams Express	116
Wells, Fargo Express	122
American Spirits	1
American Tobacco	92
Continental Tobacco	21⅞
Continental Tobacco preferred	77¼
General Electric	65
Lead	19
Pacific Mail	26¼
Pullman Palace Car	181
Sugar Refining	117⅞
Tennessee Coal & Iron	65½
Leather	8¼
U. S. Rubber	23
Western Union	79⅞

It is quite evident that the most vital question in the next election will be sound money. Other issues, such as imperialism, trusts, etc., will be made to serve electioneering purposes, but, as time wears down the minor points of discussion, the free silver or sound money issue rises in importance. This is not to be regretted. On the contrary, the sooner the issue on this matter the more surely will American sanity assert itself and the prospects of a great sound money victory this fall are infinitely greater than four years ago. It is only necessary to recall the state of apprehension that existed in July and August, 1896, just before the Bryan meeting at Madison Square Garden, to realize the great improvement in political conditions that has taken place during the last four years. Sectionalism is dead, and the sound money issue is to be welcomed, for the struggle will help to clear our financial horizon, and in all probability pave the way for a modern, scientific and elastic bank currency, the want of which will again be felt as soon as we enter periods of excessive stringency or ease in the money markets. [Henry Clews.

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AMERICAN SKIPPERS WON.

Yankee and Virginia Handsomely Beat Minerla and Rainbow.

The first race of the special series arranged by the New York Yacht Club, in which the 70, 51 and 30-footers participated, which was sailed yesterday over the Brenton's Reef-Point Judith course, was one of the most successful yachting events ever witnessed in these waters. In the first named class the American boats, Yankee and Virginia, finished in the order named, handsomely beating the Minerla and the Rainbow, which were handled by English skippers. The Altair had the 51-footer race from the start. The Syce carried away the bolts of her bobstay plate and withdrew, and the Shark was the only other boat to finish in her class. The Wa Wa easily won the 30-foot class, where course was only to Point Judith and return.

Early in the day the wind was light, the conditions otherwise being ideal. By 10 o'clock, however, there was a good topsail breeze from the southwest, with a heavy swell rolling outside. At 10:30 the judges' boat signalled the course from Brenton's Reef lightship to Point Judith, then to a mark 10 miles east, then to the lightship at Point Judith, and to the finish 37 miles, giving all kinds of work, with the last leg a run with spinnakers.

In jockeying for the start the Yankee luffed up sharply and took the best position. The Rainbow tried to cross the Minerla and narrowly escaped a mix-up. The Yankee and Virginia stood over to the Narragansett shore, while the English handled boats went out to sea. This was where their skippers lost, as when the boats came together they were nearly 10 minutes behind. The Yankee soon weathered the Virginia and steadily opened a gap. The Rainbow held the Minerla well, but fell off at the end of the race. All started with ribbtopsails and baby jibtopsails, but took in the latter as the wind freshened on the last windward beat. Following is the summary:

CLASS H—70-FOOTERS.

	Start.	Finish.	Elapsed Time.
	h. m. s.	h. m. s.	h. m. s.
Yankee,	11 10 07	4 48 56	4 38 49
Virginia,	11 10 23	4 51 40	4 40 17
Minerla,	11 10 05	4 57 24	4 47 19
Rainbow,	11 10 05	4 02 22	4 52 17

CLASS K—51-FOOTERS.

Altair,	11 15 18	4 47 58	4 32 40
Shark,	11 15 28	4 19 21	4 03 53

Syce withdrew.

30-FOOTERS.

Wa Wa,	11 3 10	4 55 12	2 53 12
Papoose,	11 3 10	4 59 38	2 56 28
Pollywog,	11 3 10	5 02 52	2 59 42

Hera withdrew.

The Hera picked up a lobster pot and withdrew.

As the Altair was being towed into the harbor after the race a short cut was attempted near the spar buoy at the south end of Goat Island, and the boat grounded and was hung up until the tide rose and floated her. There is quite a shoal place to the northwest of this spit, where it is very difficult to navigate except in shallow boats.

STRAIGHT TO SEA.

Yachts Today Will Have a Run Out and a Beat Back.

The weather conditions this morning promised another ideal racing day for the last day's port in the Newport series of races by the New York Yacht Club. The wind was from the northwest and strong enough to be called more than fresh, the air clear and the sun bright. As the morning wore on the wind dropped some and it was feared it might die out and come around from the southwest. Along about 11 o'clock, the time set for the start, the wind had again freshened and promised to hold out until after the race was finished, thus giving a true wind, as in yesterday's contest. The sea outside had gone down until the water was comparatively flat and the nasty chop raised yesterday by the wind crossing the tide was absent at the start. All these changes improved the racing conditions, as even the big boats can do a trifle better in a comparatively quiet sea than they can sailing through the rollers that were out yesterday. It was an especially good course for the thirties, which in yesterday's roll and chop looked like play boats, even though they did make good weather.

The yachts were if anything a little quicker in getting away from the harbor than yesterday. The committee boat, the Edward Luckenbach, had a larger party on board than before. With the mark boat, the J. L. Luckenbach, she got away quite promptly, and was followed by a large number of steam and sailing craft of all kinds. The wind moved pretty brisk, but the water was quite calm and sailing was lively.

The course today for the big classes will be 15 miles to leeward from the lightship. This will take the boats southeast, about in the direction of the second markboat in yesterday's race, and well out to sea and away from land all the time. It will be a run out and a beat in. The 30-footers will also go to leeward, to the second mark for yesterday's race, and beat back.

The quartet of 70-footers—the Yankee, Virginia, Minerla and Rainbow—again started, and after her magnificent showing in yesterday's race the Yankee, with Mr. Duryea at the helm, is again looked to as a winner. As this race is to sea and luck, there will not be so much chance as yesterday to work the tides. In the 51-foot class the Shark, which went to Bristol yesterday, was towed down this morning; the Syce finished repairs to her bobstay plate and was ready, and the Kestrel, which it was thought would not race, [illegible] a trial spin outside yesterday was ready. The Sistal entered for the first time, and the Altair, yesterday's winner, was ready for another go.

RHODE ISLAND AND BRISTOL CLUB CRUISES.

The Rhode Island Yacht Club assembled off the clubhouse at Pawtuxet this morning and started on its annual cruise, under Commodore W. B. Banigan, in steam yacht Llewellyn. The run today was to Wickford, tomorrow the fleet will go to Block Island, remaining at anchor Monday. Tuesday the yachts will come to Newport. Wednesday they will go to Fall River. Thursday to East Greenwich, Friday to Jamestown and Saturday to Potter's cove, where the annual cup race will be held, thence to Bristol; Sunday to Potter's cove, after which the fleet will disband.

The cruise to Block Island is a departure from the usual route of the cruises of the club, which have been confined to a comparatively limited area in the bay. The inclusion of Jamestown is another break in the ordinary routine. Last year it was proposed at one time to have a second cruise outside, for the larger boats, but it was found hardly feasible at that time.

A number of the smaller craft are expected to join the fleet here Tuesday, thus avoiding the out-side run.

Circulars have been issued by Commodore Joseph E. Fletcher of the Bristol Yacht Club for an annual cruise of the club from July 27 to 30 inclusive. The general orders are:

1—The commodore hereby assumes command of the fleet and William H. Thatcher is appointed fleet captain.

2—The fleet will rendezvous off the clubhouse at Bristol for the annual cruise July 27. Captains are requested to report to the fleet captain their intention in regard thereto, also the racing length of their boats.

The cruise program is: Friday, July 27, Newport; Saturday, July 28, Block Island; Sunday, July 29, Jamestown; Monday, July 30, Bristol. A preparatory gun will be fired at 10 o'clock July 27 and a start gun 10 minutes later. The race will finish at Newport, and the boats in starting will cross between the clubhouse and the flagship at Bristol, the finish being at the breakwater end in Newport. Prizes each day will be awarded to winners in schooner, sloop, yawl and cat rig classes. Time allowance will be given based on racing lengths.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY'S FLEET.

On the recommendation of Rear Admiral Schley, commanding the South Atlantic squadron, he has been authorized to send cruiser Montgomery of his small fleet to the United States immediately for an extensive overhauling. The Montgomery has been on active service for seven years and her machinery is badly out of repair. It is said she also needs new decks and other work to put her in first-class condition. Under the orders just issued the cruiser will be sent to the New York navy yard and be put out of commission. It is said that she requires at least six months' work.

Her detachment from the South Atlantic station will reduce Admiral Schley's fleet to two vessels, flagship Chicago and gunboat Wilmington. It is probable that the place of the Montgomery will be supplied by cruiser Atlanta, which has undergone an extensive overhauling at the New York navy yard, being now available for immediate service. It is modest of that Admiral Schley has asked for two ships and his request will be granted, provided the necessary officers and men can be obtained to put her in commission. The Atlanta is one of the pioneers of the new navy, and like the Chicago, was built by John Roach at Chester, Penn. in 1886. She was one of the famous white squadron under Admiral Walker.

Admiral Schley reports that the health of his entire command is excellent, and that good work has been accomplished in target practice with great guns and small arms. Admiral Schley has only a few months more of active service, as he will retire for age next winter.

RHODE ISLAND WHEAT.

Messrs. Boyd Brothers of Portsmouth some time ago decided to make an experiment to determine if possible whether wheat could be grown on Rhode Island. They planted an acre on their farm in Portsmouth and now have an excellent crop of standing wheat, which it is estimated will yield 100 bushels of grain. The wheat is of fine quality, and the experiment may have opened a new field of industry for Rhode Island farmers.

ARRESTED AT FREEBODY PARK.

Arrests have been commenced by the Freebody Park special police, aided by the regular officers, of the malicious young men and boys who seek to disturb or annoy those doing business at the park. Last night one of the disturbers outside the park was arrested and taken to the Police Station. Manager Gorman is giving many Newspeters employment at the Park, and giving citizens a pleasant place to spend the evening, and it is proper that he should be protected from rough "hoodlums" and vicious boys.

While all Mr. Gorman's companies bear the stamp of excellence, in next week's organization he has been particularly fortunate in his selections. Hines and Remington at the head of any company are strong leaders, at the top of sketch teams both in England and America. There are few stronger musical actors than DeVeaux and DeVeaux, who appear with this company. "The Judges" are marvelous acrobats, while the Crane brothers are unique types in "rustic comedy."

FOR SUNDAY.

Announcement of Special Services in the City Churches.

At the First Baptist Church the pastor, Rev. B. G. Boardman, will preach at the morning service on "The Utility of Unselfishness," and in the evening Rev. Robert I. McLellan of Coudersport, Penn., will preach.

At the Zabiliskie Memorial Church of St. John the Evangelist, Washington street, services will be as follows: Holy Communion at 7:30, Litany at 10:30, Choral Eucharist at 10:45 and evensong at 7:30. Garrett's Mass in B flat and Mendelssohn's "I waited for the Lord" will be sung at the morning service and Simper's Magnificat and Himmel's "Incline Thine Ear" in the evening.

Rev. E. H. Kettell, formerly rector of Zion Church, will officiate at St. George's and the services will be as follows: Holy Communion at 8, service and sermon at 10:45, choral evensong and sermon at 7:45.

Rev. Charles S. Morris of South Africa will occupy the pulpit at the Central Baptist morning and evening.

At the United Congregational Rev. Dr. McClelland will preach in the morning and in the evening Rev. Justin E. Abbott, D.D., will speak, his theme being "India's Relation to America."

At the Mount Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church services will be held at 10:45 and 7:45, the pastor, Rev. Israel Derricks, S. T. D., preaching at the former service on "The Christian Race," and at the latter on "Imitations of Christ." The Sunday school meets at 2 in the afternoon.

Rev. George W. Phillips will officiate at All Souls' Memorial Chapel.

At the Swedish Mission Church, Wellington avenue, the pastor, Rev. A. F. Hogberg, will preach at both services, the subject being "The Great Confession."

The pastor, Rev. H. N. Jeter, will preach in the morning at the Shiloh Baptist on "The Unhidden Jesus," and in the evening Rev. Mark Christian Bayford of West Coast, Africa, a fellow of the Royal Colonial Institute, London, will preach.

At the First Presbyterian the pastor, Rev. George Whitefield Mead, will preach at both services, his subject in the evening being "Difficulties in Understanding the Love of God."

At the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church, Corne street, Rev. Professor A. W. Kjellstrand of Providence will preach at the morning service and the pastor, Rev. G. J. A. Holmgren, in the evening, his subject being "The Blessed Promises."

At the First Methodist Episcopal Church the pastor, Rev. Thomas E. Chandler, will preach at the morning service and in the evening there will be a song service, followed by an address on "Courage."

At the Thames Street Methodist Episcopal Church the pastor, Rev. C. H. Smith, will preach in the morning on "Jesus, the Universal King." The subject of the evening praise service will be "Paying Our Debts."

Rev. S. C. Hill of Mt. Airy, Germantown, Penn., formerly rector of Emmanuel Church, will officiate at that church, preaching at the morning and evening services in the continued absence of the rector.

At the Channing Memorial the subject of Rev. C. H. Porter, Jr's, sermon will be "Seeking and Finding—the Higher Compensation." In the interest of the meeting to be held at the Casino in aid of the India Famine Relief fund the afternoon reaper service will be omitted.

At the morning service in the Union Congregational the pastor, Rev. Byron Gunner, will speak on "A Remarkable Example of Moral Heroism." There will be a responsive and praise service in the evening, with special music by the choir and the following solos: "The Holy City," by Mr. W. H. C. Watts of New Bedford, Mass.; "O Lord, Be Merciful," by Mrs. John Weeden; "Abide with Me," by Miss Dorothy E. Henderson. A brief address on "Praise" will be given by the pastor.

At the Mount Olivet Baptist Church the pastor, Rev. Elijah Richardson, will preach in the morning and the Sunday school will give a concert in the evening.

POLICE COMMISSION BUSINESS.

The police commission met last evening or a majority thereof, and had a very brief session of less than 15 minutes, and later an executive session that apparently lasted about the usual time and at which many matters of detail concerning police business were discussed.

The board early and very unanimously sat down on a proposition for a beer garden license, and William Quigley, who applied for an exhibition license for 195 Thames street, was given leave to withdraw.

Chief Richards reported that the Italian Society had asked him about a permit for a band on Sunday, August 5, for the society to march from its hall to church and return. It was decided that no special action was necessary, as the chief could inform the society that there was no objection.

The chief also brought up the case of Guiseppe A. Brangazio, who is again in trouble. He posted himself on the north side of Touro Park, on Bellevue avenue, and there was a complaint and he was moved to the south side. There he tarried three hours, when there was another complaint and he was moved down Pelham street. Then Joe made a kick, as there was no business doing on Pelham street. The chief did not know just where he could place Joe, but the members of the board told the chief they thought he could do better if he handled the case than they could.

The firm of M. Rosenberg & Co. of 101 Bellevue avenue was granted a peddler's license for a cart.

LARNED BEATS WRIGHT.

William A. Larned is the challenger in the Canadian tennis championship, having won the title from Beals C. Wright, the Longwood crack, yesterday, the scores being 6-2, 7-9, 4-6, 6-1, 11-9. The shield already bears Larned's name, and his showing against M. D. Whitman today is awaited with interest.

The final was not only a great tennis battle, but was one of the severest tests of endurance ever seen on the court. It was a great triumph for Larned, and displayed him in an entirely new light. Hitherto, whenever he has got in a hole, he has been in it to stay. No one ever questioned his tennis ability, but there was always that lack of pulling out. Yesterday he stopped Wright time and again when the latter had victory almost in his grasp.

The fourth set will serve admirably to illustrate the sort of game Larned played. Wright then had the lead, two sets to one, and led in the fourth set four games to one. Wright had been going through him with remarkable ease, but Larned gathered strength, and to the amazement of every one, piled game on game, running five straight, and getting the set.

It was in the fifth set, however, that he brought the gallery to its feet, and well deserved the tributes that were showered upon him. Wright had the lead, 5-2, and was within two points of the set. Larned blocked him here. Then as the match progressed, Wright got within a point of the match twice, and four times within two points. But the old Orange expert came again and again, and finally slashed from side to side and won out.

Wright deserves credit for the fine stand he made. His rating in the tennis world will suffer none from the defeat.

In the semi-final round of doubles Whitman and Wright beat Avery and McMasters, and Fischer and Hackett beat Paterson and partner.

THE INDIA FAMINE RELIEF MEETING.

The meeting in the interest of India Famine Relief will be held in the Casino Theatre tomorrow at 4 o'clock. Captain C. H. Stockton, U. S. N., will preside, and the address will be made by Rev. Justin E. Abbott, D. D., of Bombay, India. Mr. Clarence Ross Gale of Boston, secretary of the Boston Committee of One Hundred on India Famine Relief, will speak briefly of the work of that committee. The following gentlemen will act as vice presidents of the meeting: Thomas F. Cushing, Thomas G. Brown, Admiral Stephen B. Luce, U. S. N., George Gordon King, Hon. H. W. Bookstaver, Colonel J. W. Horton, Rev. Emery H. Porter, Colonel William P. Shofield, Jr., Rev. H. M. Stone, William P. Buffum, Angus McLeod, Hugh D. Auchincloss, Rev. Charles Hunt Porter, Jr., Hamilton B. Tompkins, Dr. Charles A. Brackett, Frederick Tompkins, T. Mumford Seabury, Charles T. Hopkins, Henry C. Stevens, Job A. Peckham, T. T. Pitman, Professor Charles W. Shields, D. D., Rev. Roderick Terry, D. D., Judge Darius Baker, Major Theodore K. Gibbs. Rev. T. C. McClelland is secretary and Erastus P. Allan treasurer.

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ENERGETIC WOMEN.

A curious story is told in the Chicago Chronicle of the railroad women of the West. Number one is of a girl who, as a reward for some service, was made a kind of ward of the Southern Pacific and finely educated. Her father was an engineer, and it was her knowledge of railroading that had enabled her to save a train from wreck and gain the favor of the company. After her college education was over she was given a course in mechanical engineering, and then, quite satisfactorily educated, she was given as a final gift a position in an office at a good salary, and there the matter ended, in the expectation of the board of directors. But when she had acted as clerk for a year she submitted her plans and specifications for a new kind of engine, and it happened to be just what the company had been wishing for. The plan was adopted and some of the best mountain passenger engines on the road are built on her model. Number two relates the story of the trainmaster, and relates how, when O. F. Pease, the trainmaster at Gila Bend, N. M., threw up his place to fight in the Cuban war, he turned over the business to his wife, who was the telegraph operator. She undertook his duties until his successor should be appointed. She waited and applied for the new trainmaster to appear, in vain; business was rushing and no attention was paid. One day the superintendent of the division stopped off at Gila Bend and stood by, an interested listener, while Mrs. Pease dealt with an erring engineer who had made a bad blunder. The result was Mrs. Pease's appointment as trainmaster, which she holds to the entire satisfaction of the company to this day.

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